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## "THE EARTH'S NOBLEST THING"

**Prof. Green Addressed a Splendid Gathering at the Women's Meeting on Sunday Afternoon.**

Three hundred and fifty-one women gathered at the Bristol Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon and listened to a splendid address by Prof. Francis Green, of West Chester.

Following the precedent of former years at the close of the men's meetings, Rev. Johnston arranged a meeting for women only, and many have been the complimentary remarks concerning last Sunday's treat. A fine musical programme was also rendered. Prof. Green's address was as follows:

PROF. GREEN'S ADDRESS.

In an admirable work, destined in my mind to become classic, Henry Drummond considered Love, you will recall, as the greatest thing in the world. Faith has been pronounced as the foremost thing in the world. Hope has been designated by still another author as the last thing in the world. I told the pastor of this church, in connection with coming to you this afternoon, that I would consider "The Noblest Thing in the World," or "Earth's Noblest Thing."

What shall we pronounce the noblest thing, if Love is the greatest thing, Faith the foremost thing and Hope the last thing? If I could canvass this gathering this afternoon, there would be a difference of opinion as to what is the noblest thing in the world. If I took a vote a variety of opinions would be advanced as to what is earth's noblest thing. Is it to be found in nature about us, in the outer world, in the grass and in the flower?

Henry Ward Beecher pronounced flowers as the sweetest things that God ever made and forgot to put a soul into them. I am not sure in regard to the forgetfulness of our Eternal Father of all of us. Flowers, beautiful as they are, I do not believe we could term them noble. Is Niagara one of the noblest things in the world? I so often recall my first experience as I looked upon that great wonder of America. It was at the midnight hour and there was not disappointment about it, but I have heard people say they were disappointed in the first view of it. I recall the pleasure as I said to my companion: "Let us go down and see the Falls." It is easy to know the place, although it was my first visit. The rush and roaring sound so noticeable in the stillness of the midnight hour. We walked down and standing beside the falls, we remained silent. It was so clear in the moonlight we could actually see a rainbow. I took out my watch looked at it, twenty minutes passed and I shall never forget that sublime sight. It stirred much in my better nature, I simply took my hat off. I thank God he gave me the opportunity of looking at that splendid scene. I pronounced that one of the noblest things in God's nature. I saw it at the sunset hour the next day. I said to my companion as we went to bed: "As we have seen the falls by midnight, moonlight and sunset, now I want to see it by sunrise." "You may get up if you want to, but I don't want to do it." At about 4.30 I scrambled out of bed and stood there all alone by the falls. Not a sound except the rush and roar of the mighty cataract, not even the milk wagon going along the streets; finally the birds began to chirp a little as the dawn came on.

"Angels robed in spotless white,
Bent down and kissed the sleeping night.
Night waked to blush, the sprite was gone;
Man saw the blush, and called it dawn."

The rays of the sun played around about, their rainbows were formed. I took a card out of my pocket and wrote a little card to mother voicing my feelings, as I sat in the presence of the Eternal and Almighty voice of His upon the earth. Sublime, yes, but I hardly call it noble.

I do not believe we are going to seek out the noble in the physical world around us. We speak of a fine horse, but do not apply the term noble; although there may be some horses that are more deserving of the term than some human beings. In a bit of a verse by Bayard Taylor, he speaks of a noble horse that died at the age of 42 years. I have known of horses that have deserved heaven more than some human beings, but I would not designate a horse as the noblest thing in the world.

We do not speak of the nobility of nature of a dog. While there are some fine helpful dogs that have nobility in their nature. Is it in art, be it simple or classic art? As I stood in that room, perhaps some of you have stood in just the same room in Paris, and looked at the gathering of art in one direction after another, it was beautiful, sublime, superb, but I do not know as I would exactly call them noble.

As you stand in the presence of a building, man may sometimes designate it as noble. Are books noble, I sound their praises constantly. I love to live in their presence, but not even the Bible, as a book, is the noblest thing in the world. Some suggest clothes may make higher nobility. Is patriotism, love for country, nobility? Where is the truest nobility to be found? You say it is love in humanity. We are told a story back here in Genesis that when God made man, he pronounced him very good. The noblest thing is to be found in man, in the historic soul of the mighty past or the courageous christian of the living present. Would that there were more numerous today than they are. While the noblest thing is to be pre-eminent in man, it is pre-eminently presented in woman, so I take it.

Lowell, as he wrote in his poem "Irene," which I would like to prompt: "Earth's noblest thing: a woman, perfected." "Earth's noblest thing: a woman, perfected." Is such a thing easy to find? I rather think not. I do not know what your notion may be. I do not care to be uncomplimentary in my discussion, but a perfect woman is not so easy to find.

You remember what Mrs. Jones said when asked if she knew a perfect woman. She said: "Yes, Mr. Jones' first wife." There may have been a circumstance of that kind with a degree of truth in it, perhaps. I don't know.

There are lots of good women all over this land aiming at perfection, trying at least to aim at it. It is a great deal better to aim and miss than not to aim at all. Before calling the gentler sex to the elements of the worthiest womanhood, I want at least to say a few words for the brothers.

I confess I knew this was to be a women's meeting, but I thought men would be here and women also; but I don't know where the men would sit. I thought that was to be the arrangement. I hope as a group of women, I have a message for them and if the men who have frequented this place, these discussions are fitting for every man married or single, for every man is the son of some mother. Many men are brothers of some girl; many a man is a lover of some sweetheart; many a man husband to some woman; many a man father of some daughter. Which relationship do we stand in regard to her? I know my own position in regard to the matter and so do you. It concerns the son because of the mother; the brother because of the sister; husband because of wife; father because of daughter. I might say as men here, we might ask ourselves whether we are worthy of the names of brother, son, husband or father. It is not only a privilege, but it is the greatest responsibility. I will just ask you, if you appreciate it properly, whether we are worthy enough to have the kindly demonstration of a group of people pronounced here as earth's noblest things? Why shall we pronounce her "earth's noblest thing." I do not want to take out my qualifications, that would be presumptuous, I want to ask that we turn our attention to the facts presented by a far higher authority than any of ourselves here this afternoon.

I draw upon a picture in Proverbs, I will begin with the tenth verse and conclude with the 29th verse of the 31st chapter of Proverbs. Listen as I read it, listen more thoughtfully, more carefully than you ever listened in your lifetime; for if I preach I must have some sort of a text, and want to get it from God's word. Some seem to think ofttimes that the reading of the scripture is simply introductory and do not pay much attention to it. Some think there is a lack of importance about the concluding part of a service. I know if I were conducting a church and men and women were putting on their over-shoes before the benediction was pronounced, I am not sure but that I would have something tart to say out of a feeling of righteous indignation. Everyone of you who were at church this morning, do you know what was read by the minister or what the lesson was? Now I want you all to pay the closest attention to this and be sure you know what every word is. Now listen and mark characteristics: Refer to our Bibles: Proverbs 31st chapter, 10th to 30th verse.

A woman set forth in this way is designated as the noblest thing in God's word. The first part is for the young man, a young man's directory. Ruin is the first chapter. The second chapter shows the benefits of wisdom. The third, the benefits of wisdom's way, and thus chapter after chapter until we come to the 31st chapter. This closing chapter is divided into two parts; the first part deals with woman's honor; the second deals with man's ideal of woman. This ideal was probably presented from memory, some think it imaginary, but here is portrayed Solomon's mother; here is given a clear description of some particular woman. This advice of the book, I might say, portrays a poem, for each verse has two lines except the 15th, that has more than two lines.

In the first three verses of this which I read to you I find introductory matter; in the last four conclusion. I did not read the last two verses of it. The last four verses is conclusion with the masterly picture of the ideal woman. Think of the fine picture if you will, "Who can find a virtuous woman?" The world's virtues have a great sweep, not merely in the sense of chastity; no one worthy the name of woman but has that characteristic. Of course, all of us, men and women, have some weaknesses, Dr. Jeykils and Mr. Hydes to some extent.

Women are more likely to be virtuous than men; that being the case, when women are bad, if they are, they seem fearfully bad. I consider this chapter, giving this picture of ideal women, marked by three things, pure, powerful and positive. Free entirely from the lust of the flesh, following a blameless life spiritually, not the animal dominates her nature. How fearful a sight is designated by a fallen woman. I do not believe in a lost woman, no woman is lost while God lives and loves the lost. Men consider this matter of approach in woman as pre-eminent over man, and need to show in their own lives these superb qualities so much admired in women.

Three men went out one night. Three girls lives were broken that night. When they all meet before God's justice bar, what then? Woman ought to hold man up to the same high standard as man holds them in regard to the matter of approach. Women are chaste, pure and along with that, powerful. You will find as you read further, protrayed a picture of her as strong, not flimsy flabby kind, but good for something. You will see in the 17th verse she girdeth her loins with strength. She has bodily vigor, a spiritualist. I believe in wise physical culture, nimble, firmness, richness of blood, nobility of animal nature, so you will see from this she is positive in her make-up. She is not a negative, but positively good. Does good to her husband and mankind, not evil all the days of her life. Does things; is a powerful substantial animal.

One of the requisites for fine manhood or womanhood is to be a good animal along with a pure, powerful and positive, charitable and truthful nature. She doeth good, not evil, all the days, not spasmodically, occasionally, once in a while, when men's meeting comes along, a week of prayer, or convention, but constant in virtue all the days of her life.

To me the most admirable thought is that saying of God's word in which He says, "Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today and forever." She is constant in her nature, in her advice kind, not in the divorce court, not shifting in her affections. I tell you if she were more abounding the courts would not have so much to do in the way of applications for divorce. Last year I was surprised at the statistics; 1,130,000 divorces were issued. What do you think of it? Why, it is merely the shifting of affections on one side or the other, sometimes on both sides, lack of constancy of affection.

Isn't it beautiful, the constancy of devotion of some women, think of mother's constant devotion. You men who are here this afternoon, you women, too, think of the constancy of your mother in her devotion. I ask myself as to whether I have been worthy of the fetching up, so to speak. Do you think we are worthy of all the bother we have been in the world? What an awful crying little infant you and I were one day. What an awful nuisance every one of us was; yet what devotion and care we had from that mother, because of the constancy of her love for us. My mother was so good to me if I were as good as I could be, I could not be as good as her.

"She loves me when I'm good or bad,
She loves me when I'm glad or sad,"

as Riley sings.

Do you know it is my mother's birthday today and I confess I did not want to come to Bristol. I wanted to go down to my own home and visit my mother's grave, where I have spent every first day of May each year since the finger of God touched her and she sleeps; but maybe you can best minister to the dead by speaking to the living. Perhaps, it is always the best way to refresh the memory of the dead by saying something to the living.

What wonderful devotion of motherhood in this world! As you stand before that wonderful painting of the "Breaking of Home Ties," which attracted more attention at the World's Fair at Chicago than any other painting; that wonderful bit of art, it is not classic, but it is very plain. There stands the boy and his mother. I always think of Eugene Fields' verses:

"I saw in mother's face,
The love she could not tell me,
Love eternal as the skies,
Whatever fate befell me."

That beautiful devotion of motherhood. We can never be too thoughtful in regard to our mothers, never too appreciative for what they have done for us. You know that little toast that has a little touch of nonsense with it but a true ring at the close: "Here's to the happiest days of my life, spent in the arms of another man's wife—my mother." It is the happiest time, the blessed time of my life. Do you know we are often apt to look in the wrong place. Heroic souls are oftener hidden in the home, where there are good women who are oppressed with cares and labors and bearing uncomplainingly their burdens; crucified on invisible crosses; then along with these qualities, she is charitable. (Verse 20)

"What is noble, to inherit wealth, estate or proud degree?
There must be some other merit higher yet, than this for me.
Something greater far must enter into life's majestic span,
Fitted to create a centre: true nobility in man."

She is ministering to the needs of men, thus advancing not the cause of man, but the cause of God: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Women, I tell you this afternoon, pity and charity have their home in women's hearts. You take some of the great organizations of today. All the children's associations of Philadelphia. I know noble women who are laboring in the interest of that work, where little children are taken from the narrow alleys and dirty streets of the city and sent to the country for a time, where new life comes to them. One sunny spot in the whole year for some of those little tots. Take the society of The Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Take the great Door of Hope work in New York, at the head of which Mrs. Whitmer stands identified. It seems to me, figuratively speaking, she is acting after the fashion of Henry Ward Beecher. Walking out of his Plymouth Church for the last time, you will remember, he had been seated in his pulpit, for a time, when two little fellows wandered in from the street to listen to the music of the organ. He went to them and threw his great loving arms around them and planted a kiss on each little cheek, and walked out of the church for the last time. The greatness of all in the sense of littleness. It is a beautiful picture of a noble man, doing the work of love, picking up fallen manhood; living, ministering, doing for somebody else, living toward perfection, having the quality of charitable interest in others.

"She stretcheth out her hand to the poor; yea, she reacheth forth her hands to the needy." It seems to me she is nearer living up to the spirit of the church. "She worketh willingly with her hands;" nothing hesitating in the matter of doing the work of the day. Heaven help the man who has to live with a scolding wife, and heaven help the woman who has to live with a nagging man. Some such state is shown in the old story: A man and woman married. They had each been married before, and children had blessed each or cursed it; but they married and the third set of children came. One day the wife looked out in the yard and said: "Husband, just look at your children and my children fighting our children." It is kind of indicative of the feeling in some households. Going about duties in a nagging, dogging manner. You will find in the world energetic and enterprising women. I cannot take up all these qualities, all I can do must be suggestive; it cannot be exhaustive. You might say I did mention this thing and that thing; put them in your own discussion. "She is like the merchant's ships; she bringeth her food from afar." "She considereth a field and buyeth it;" she is good at accounts; there is business sight with her; she is not always in the parlor; no shirking of work on her part, evidently. You do not only see her sweeping into the parlor at eight o'clock in the evening, but sweeping out the kitchen at eight o'clock in the morning. Blessed are the fruits of her hands.

Blessed are the working hands of toil on the part of man or woman, and then she has wisdom; many people have more hindsight than foresight, vigorous in spirit and life. Then you remark another thing; this is a delicate subject for a fellow to touch upon, and I would like to step over it. She dresses wisely and sensibly, a covering of tapestry; she is her own dressmaker; that won't hold good in these days; her cloth is silk and purple; not that that is necessary and better than calico, but any woman that is worth the name of a woman dresses well and sensibly; it is a wise thing to do.

Look at that account of Esther when she went into the King's presence; she garbed in an acceptable way. Carelessness of dress may lead to a loss of power. I think of all that is best in dress as well as manner is that which attracts the least attention. Some people give more attention to clothes than to conduct; more to their hair than their heart; more to their cheeks than their character; their souls need manicuring once in a while.

I cannot understand how some women that are so afraid of mice can fall down and worship rats apparently—she won't give a concern about these things. It used to be that the hair was away up in the distance, now it is away back in the distance; but I suppose it is all right if you like that kind of a thing, but you are not troubled about that if you do not give more attention to your hair than to your heart, to your cheeks than to your character. Evidently the culture of character was a specialty with this woman. Did I not notice that remark that "she openeth her mouth with wisdom." That is a commendable characteristic, surely, the culture of character, and especially doesn't talk too much. Blessed is the man or woman that doesn't.

Someone has said we are given two eyes and two ears and one mouth and that we ought to see and hear twice as much as we talk. A gabbling man or woman does an awful lot of harm in a community. That word gabbling I use advisedly, it comes from the Greek word signifying to lie. A gabbling man or woman is never without something to say. She attaches ideas to some reports by a gossiping woman or gabbling man increasing them in extent. Someone has well suggested there are two different themes to talk about, one is people and personal things, the other is things and subjects. The noblest culture will permit us to talk about subjects rather than personal things. Heaven save us in this community or any other from the gossip or slander of a gabbling man or woman. There are too many things we might well talk about that are worth talking about, to debase ourselves and injure those round about us by this gossiping gabbling slander.

This woman is a good home-maker, you will notice that "She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness." That was a beautiful saying of Joseph Choate, when someone asked him who he would like to be if he wasn't Joseph Choate, he replied, "Mrs. Choate's second husband." Blessed is it where there is that feeling. You know I might add this, my opinion is this woman did not necessarily keep in the home all the time, but devoting the proper amount of time, not engaged in making her hair all the time. I have no patience with the man who is making a sweeping or washing machine out of a woman, for I am free to admit if I were a woman and be tried it I would turn into a thrashing machine.

Earth's noblest thing is woman perfected. Take this picture if you will as a souvenir this afternoon. It is customary in certain instances to give portraits as souvenirs, and I want to hand out this picture to every one of you to carry home with you in your heads and hearts. The gospel deals with hearts more than books, and especially is this true of this noble perfect woman. So should we live every hour, and die as naturally as dies the flower.

Let me make an appeal that we shall allow our womanhood and manhood to be the very best in the world, nobler because of the nobility of the life that we live. The first time I ever spoke in this church and from this pulpit I used the language of a woman as the basis of my theme, and I can do no better this afternoon at the close of these remarks, perhaps the last time I shall speak in Bristol for some time, than by quoting for our guidance and direction in the way of measuring up in this noblest thing than to ask you to be bounded by the language of a woman, the mother of our Lord, the blessed Mary. You will remember where Christ worked his first great miracle, noticing the perplexed condition of the servants when they seek her out and say that the wine is gone, she says, "whatsoever he saith unto you, do it." They are the words of a mother; they are the words of a woman. "Whatsoever he saith unto you, do it."

My friends, we can as we move along into the beautiful month of May, and through the rest of our lives, have a higher advice to help us to measure up to being men and women perfected, we can have no better direction than to obey what she said, "Whatsoever he saith unto you," and to you, to you, and to you, "do it." Shall we? Our lives may attain something of that perfection that is shown in this wonderful closing chapter of this marvelous book of Proverbs.

### Lower Bensalem.

Miss Edith Alberger, of Eddington, was a recent visitor in Bristol.

We regret very much to hear of the severe illness of Mrs. Woren, of Cornwells.

Mrs. Schermerhorn, of Bridgewater, was quite recently visiting in Philadelphia.

Mr. Patton and family have moved from Philadelphia, to their summer home in Flushing.

Miss Jennie Cryer, of Philadelphia, was a week-end visitor at her grandmother's home in Bensalem.

Miss Myrtle Phillips, of Wissinoming, was visiting several friends in Bridgewater, quite recently.

James Price and family, of Philadelphia, were visiting their summer home in Bridgewater over Sunday.

The Misses Johnson were entertaining their brother, John Johnson, of Collegeville, on Saturday at their home in Bridgewater.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, of Philadelphia, at their home in Eddington, over Sunday.

Mrs. Rowland and daughter, Miss Katherine Rowland, of Philadelphia, have moved to their country home in Croydon for the summer.

Miss Mina Kreamer, of Millerstown, Perry county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Arentz, at her home in Bridgewater, for several days.

Miss Belle Scott, of Eddington, led the Christian Endeavor Society of the Eddington Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening. It being the first Sunday in the month, it was consecration Sunday.

On Saturday evening, May 7th, an entertainment will be given in the P. O. S. of A. Hall, at Cornwells, for the benefit of the Eddington Presbyterian Church. Talent will be there both from New York and Philadelphia.

A horse belonging to the Misses Johnson ran away on Saturday and broke the carriage together with several dozen of eggs and several quarts of milk. While Miss Johnson was delivering some milk, the horse became frightened at some boys playing ball.

The St. Francis School at Eddington had some very distinguished guests the past week, among whom were Vice President James S. Sherman, of Washington and Edward deV. Morrell, of Torresdale. Mr. Sherman made an address to the students and told the students that they were enjoying advantages at the school which would form a foundation for their future lives and advised them to apply themselves industriously to their work while yet young. The St. Francis band played selections and the distinguished party was whirled away in a motor car to General Morell's residence in Torresdale.

### Penns Manor.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Greenlee.

John E. Brooks has been confined to the house with an attack of tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanley Raub entertained friends from Trenton on Sunday last.

Schuyler C. Stokes is Christian Endeavor leader next Sunday evening. Topic, "The Christian Graces."

Frank Leedom was given a surprise party on Saturday evening last, in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Ella S. Ketcham and daughter, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mrs. James Stinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Greenlee entertained Rev. and Mrs. John Girton, of Trenton, on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Ivins and Mary Ivins spent Saturday and Sunday with Yardley Palmer and family, near Woodsville, N. J.

Miss Jane W. Seidensticker, of Atlantic City, is on a week's visit at her home here, before going to Ocean Grove for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Louderback, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Louderback, of Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Daniel Louderback and family.

Notwithstanding the fact that our pastor, Rev. John Girton, received a message while in church last Sunday evening, calling him to the bedside of his brother, who was lying critically ill in Ewing, N. J., he preached a very touching and helpful sermon from Luke 15:2, to a very large audience. He has the sympathy of his many friends here.

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William A. Michener, 528 Swain Street, Bristol, Pa., says: "It affords me great pleasure to confirm the public statement I gave two years ago recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. Nothing has happened during the time that has since passed to alter my high opinion of this preparation. My two children were afflicted with a most annoying kidney weakness and steadily grew worse. There was no control over the kidney secretions and this proved that the kidneys were weak. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I decided to try them and secured a box at Erthal's Pharmacy. Their use brought relief in a remarkably short time and before long my children were restored to good health I am grateful to Doan's Kidney Pills for their good work in these two cases."

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## A CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

**Montgomery County Democrat Seeks Nomination to Oppose Wanger.**

## MARRIAGES SLUMP

**High Cost of Living Clips Cupid's Wings. A Slick Forger Victimizes Doylestown Business Women.**

Doylestown, May 4.

The past week has been a very quiet one at the county seat, there has been hardly a ripple on the sea of politics. The slate is made, the people will endorse it at the primaries and then there will be but little to do until the election. The ukase of Boss Grady has gone forth and, so far as outward appearances go, there is never a kick. The disappointed ones have called at headquarters and are chock full of promises for the future.

Up to the present time the Democracy has no candidates in the county except one in Bristol, Jacob M. Winder, who wants to go to State Senate. With the secret endorsement and plenty of work the Bucks County Liquor League could elect him, but they are not for him because it is not the Senator from Bucks county who will decide the fate of Local Option. That decision will be made by those highest in authority, the Big Bosses.

It looked a few days ago as though Irving P. Wanger would have no opposition for Congress, no Democrat had appeared who felt like taking chances against him but on Monday R. E. Difenderfer, of Ashbourne, visited the county seat to obtain signatures to his nominating petition. Mr. Difenderfer is a large man, physically and is a good "thinker." He proposes to make a thorough canvass of both counties and will, of course, take in Bucks county's one and only seaport. Now, if he can only secure the valuable service of Grundy and Pete his election will be assured and Wanger will have to go way back and sit down.

MUMPS AND MEASLES EPIDEMIC.

The county seat is passing through an epidemic of mumps and measles and in consequence the percentage of attendance at the public schools is very much reduced. By a regulation of the State Board of Health an unique arrangement called a "modified quarantine" is enforced, in Doylestown, that means that no one is confined to the house, the members of the household may pass in and out at all times, but children, who are not afflicted with the disease, may not go to school. This just suits young America and a fine time they are having of it, but they never fail to go to the school grounds just as school lets out at noon and in the afternoon and then the girls who are in "modified quarantine" fall on the necks of their less fortunate companions and walk home from school with them, their arms around each others waists, so that if there is any chance of communicating the disease, they are in a position to make a sure thing of it. The regulation is a ridiculous one in the face of it and as a matter of fact works more for harm than good.

DOYLESTOWN'S WINNING TEAM.

Doylestown baseball fans were throwing up their hats when the result of the game at Morrisville last Saturday was announced. Everyone expected the boys to put up a good game, but when the bulletin board announced the score, 9 to 2, the crowd went crazy and Doylestown did not have to use its star twirler either, for Siegler is better than ever this year. It looks now as though the pennant of the North Penn League will fly in the county seat next season. Manager William F. Kelly deserves great credit for the team that he alone picked out and welded together, and it is a fine one, finer and better than we have ever had before.

HUSBAND HALED INTO COURT.

Samuel F. Robbins, whose wife, son and daughter are residents of the county seat, was haled into court on Monday, charged by his wife with surety. Robbins and his wife had their troubles aired in court about three years ago, in consequence of which they separated. About three weeks ago Robbins came to Doylestown, as he alleges, to bring his wife a birthday present and if possible, to adjust their differences. As an inducement to his wife to go back and live with him he provided himself with quite a jag and then went in search of her. He found her at the home of her daughter, but she evaded him and went to the home of a friend. His daughter testified that Robbins threatened to kill both his wife and himself. Mrs. Robbins declared that she was afraid of him and believed that he would do her serious bodily harm if opportunity offered. He was held under a bond of two hundred dollars to keep the peace.

SLUMP IN WEDDINGS.

Marriages always interest everybody, but the month of April, 1910, was not a marrying month. Only twenty-four couples sought the aid of the fair deputy in the Clerk of the Orphans Court office, to start them on their journey through life. Four widows sought the state of double blessedness for a second time, while but two widowers, both near the alloted time, three score years and ten, tried their luck again in the lottery of marriage.

AS TO AGES.

The youngest brides, four of them, had arrived at the mature age of eighteen, and one married the youngest groom, aged 19. Barring the two couples, one 69 and 68 and the other 66 and 50, the average age of the brides and grooms was very close together, much closer than it has been for over a year. The brides' average was a trifle over twenty-two and three quarters years and the grooms' exactly twenty-three and one-half. One reason for this was that five brides were older than their husbands, one of them as many as ten years older, a widow of course.

UP COUNTY LEADS.

The upper end of the county leads, having just half of the entire number granted, twelve. The middle has seven and the lower five. Of the boroughs Quakertown had two and Doylestown, Bristol, Silverdale, Yardley, Newtown, Sellersville, Ivyland, Perkasie and Attleboro each had one. Of the brides twelve were housekeepers, five were in the cigar making business three had no occupations, two were dressmakers with one each a stenographer and broom-maker. Of the men seven were farmers, three each clerks and laborers, two molders, two cigarmakers, with printers, carpenters, teamsters, weavers and bakers each one. All were Bucks countians except one bride from Souderton.

REASONS FOR DECREASE.

The high cost of living is the reason for there being so few, although Easter coming in March had something to do with it. Another reason that holds back the young people is that they are not making enough to live upon in the way they would like to live. In the hard times of 1908 forty-five couples secured the coveted license in April. Last year fifty-four were made happy and the drop of thirty—from fifty-four to twenty-four—should be an object lesson to our legislators in Congress and is a very strong argument in favor of a tariff that will enable our young people to get married and live. As it is, when they marry now they simply survive, that's all. This month, May, may not be much better, but let us hope for increased returns in the month of roses, June.

A SLICK FORGER.

A forger, probably the same fellow who some time ago, victimized Constable A. R. Atkinson, of the county seat, with a bogus check on the firm of Lehman's Sons, meat dealers, made a successful excursion through this section last Saturday, scooping in during the day an amount at least equal to as much salary as he could earn in a week. The facts were suppressed for several days with the hope that the forger could be captured, but he was entirely too slick for the officers. He apparently knew his ground well, escaping without leaving a clue to his whereabouts.

GOT $15 AT JENKINTOWN.

He first appeared at Jenkintown on Saturday morning, where the Abington police afterward learned, the man had tried to get checks cashed in several places. In one instance, it is said, that he succeeded in getting away with nearly $15. The police have a good description of the man, who is believed to be the same chap who swindled Jenkintown merchants some months ago.

DID NOT CONNECT AT HATBORO.

Coming on up the trolley line after leaving Jenkintown he stopped at Hatboro, but in the afternoon he went to Corson's restaurant in Willow Grove and told Mrs. Corson that he had a gang of men at work in Willow Grove Park. He said further that he had forgotten his check book and asked her if she had any checks on the Jenkintown Trust Company. Mrs. Corson gave the stranger several blank checks from her husband's check book. The stranger sat at a table in the restaurant and filled out one or more of them.

Later the man appeared at Rothwell's drug store, and made a trifling purchase, and tendered a check, which had what purported to be Mr. Corson's signature attached. Mr. Rothwell thought that the signature did not look right, so refused to give the man his purchase or the difference in cash. The stranger said his name was C. Bell and that he was related to a Dr. Graham, of Hatboro, and that he would go to McAvoy's hotel, where he was known and secure the cash and return. But he never came back.

MRS. WALTON VICTIMIZED.

Instead he came on by trolley to Doylestown, where in the evening he found another victim. Entering the store of Mrs. S. A. Walton, on South Main street, about 7 o'clock, he selected about 60 cents worth of goods from her china stock and asked the clerk to cash a check for $10.50 in payment. The clerk took the check to Mrs. Walton, who saw that the paper appeared to be drawn by Sheriff H. S. Beidler to the order of "C. Bell," and was dated April 23. Without hesitancy Mrs. Walton handed over $10 to the man who paid her 10 cents to make it "even money." C. Bell said he would leave the dishes for a little while and return for them. But the dishes are still there and so is the bogus check for $10.50.

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### Andalusia.

The school board held their annual meeting on Wednesday.

Dr. Robert W. Eastman, of New York City, was here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Freas visited at Nathaniel Freas on Sunday.

The Stackhouse property on the Bristol pike, Andalusia, is for rent.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Hall have returned from their sojourn in the South.

We understand that Mr. Eckert has again resumed possession of his greenhouses here.

The St. Agnes Guild of the Chapel of the Redeemer, will give a strawberry festival on the Chapel grounds, May 21st.

The Misses Amanda and Cassie McElroy were in the village on Sunday, the former visiting Miss Martie Vandegrift and the latter being the guest of Miss Carrie Donaldson.

Russell Hoagland, son of William and Ethel Freas Hoagland, visited Andalusia on Sunday with his parents, for the first time, we believe, since his birth into this big world.

Mr. Roberts and family have moved here from Philadelphia and have taken the house lately occupied by William O'Donnell. Mr. Roberts is in the employ of the Michell Company.

It was pleasant to see Mr. McShane's genial face and hearty presence in our Main street, Saturday. We wish to congratulate him on the completion of his new house and hope he will soon move into it.

The last exhibition of moving pictures at the King Library was pronounced as being "by far the most satisfactory" of any that has yet been given. Miss Mabel Towle was another of our young vocalists whose voice contributed to the musical part of the programme.

"There will be a meeting of the Andalusia Branch of the Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild on Wednesday, May 11th, at 2.30 p. m., at King Library. A plant market will be held from three to five o'clock. Plants will be received at the King Library from 9.30 till 11 a. m. Afternoon tea will be served.

The committee on the proposed club house, or parish building, as it is called by some, met at Charles Biddle's on Monday evening. We hope that they not only "reported progress," but took action in looking to speedy realization of the long expressed wishes of our community. We have not been able to see any of the committee to get definite information.

The anxiety with which we noted the illness of Miss Bertha Gano last week, has had its sad realization. She died in the Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, on Friday morning last, after an operation for appendicitis, performed soon after her reaching the institution on Monday. Her funeral was held at her Andalusia home on Monday and was largely attended. The burial was at All Saints churchyard, Torresdale. Miss Gano was a quiet, steadfast, gentle girl, very much esteemed by those who knew her and winning their affectionate regard. She was devoted to her Sunday school class of little girls and was notably efficient in their instruction. They were present at her funeral and sent gifts of flowers as "her class." The Sunday school, too as a whole, sent flowers and at the service those who could be present, sang very sweetly some favorite hymns. Miss Gano's death touched the heart of many in the community very deeply and called out the sincere sympathy of our people for her family, in their great loss.

The commission appointed to examine the Leaning Tower of Pisa has reported that it thinks its foundations need strengthening. A spring exists under the tower, the water of which is raised by steam pumps for the use of a local factory. As the bed of the spring is emptied it is feared a subsidence of the ground on which the campanile stands will follow.

## HULMEVILLES WEEKLY BUDGET

Arthur Phillips and son were visiting in Trenton on Sunday.

Mrs. John Bennett has been spending the week-end in Frankford.

Miss Grace Illick was visiting in Trenton, on Saturday and Sunday.

George Thorp was visiting Fred Williams on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Kirk was visiting in Burlington on Saturday and Sunday.

The class of 1910 expects to take the final examination on Saturday, May 7th.

William Clegg, of Philadelphia, was visiting John Phillips on Thursday.

Benjamin Barton was visiting Joseph Williams on Thursday of last week.

The preacher for next Sunday morning at the M. E. Church will be Mr. Elliot.

Mrs. Edward McElwee and daughter, Sarena, spent Saturday in Philadelphia.

John Gwynn and family, of Eddington, were visiting John Phillips on Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Curran, of Philadelphia, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Ewald Reetz, one day last week.

Mrs. Amy Worthington, Mrs. Harry Brown and son, Russell, spent last Saturday in Germantown.

Mrs. Sarah Stoner has returned home from Trenton, where she has been spending a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bachman and family, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Frank Schneider and family.

Miss Roberta Manning, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Miss Ida Roberts on Saturday and Sunday.

Joseph Williams, who has been engaged in the butchering business, has discontinued that occupation.

George Douglass has improved the appearance of his property on Main street, by erecting a new front fence.

The regular business meeting of the Epworth League will be held at the home of Howard Vansant on Monday evening.

The first dance of the season will be held on May 14th and will continue every Saturday night for the season at the park.

Charles Guington and Martin Smith, of Camden, and D. Linch, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday at the home of Ewald Reetz and family.

The Epworth League meeting of the M. E. Church will be led by Mrs. Harrison next Sunday evening. The topic will be "A Spiritual Birthday Anniversary."

Mr. and Mrs. William Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schultz and daughter, of Philadelphia, were Sunday visitors at the home of their father, Gus Schultz.

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The members of the Grace Church sewing class held a bazaar and festival on Friday evening. Owing to the weather being stormy it was held in the room back of the church. The sum of seventeen dollars was cleared.

On Thursday evening, May 12, from eight to ten, in the reading room of Grace Church, the Altar Guild will give an informal reception to the rector in charge, Rev. William F. Lutz, for the purpose of giving him an opportunity to become personally acquainted with his parishioners. All members and friends of Grace Church are most cordially invited to attend.

### Eden.

Frederick Lentz is having his home attractively repainted.

Miss Elizabeth Moore, of Trenton, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Allen Vansant.

Miss Mary Yates, of Philadelphia, was the week-end guest of Miss Alice Bilger.

Mrs. Powell, of Philadelphia, was a recent visitor at the home of Mrs. John Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pratt, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. B. Beswick.

Mr. and Mrs. McGee, of Bristol, were recently visiting their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Keating.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lentz and children, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Frederick Lentz.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ray, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Praul, of Bristol, were Sunday visitors of J. Wessaw and family.

Mr. and Mrs. August Jagenburg and daughters recently spent several days with Philadelphia friends.

Mrs. George Charleton and daughter, of Philadelphia, were recently visiting her father, Edward Wenlock.

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### Oxford Valley.

Ellsworth Bilbee, of Yardley, was visiting in the village on Sunday.

Mrs. C. Y. Stradling will be Christian Endeavor leader Sunday evening.

Miss Mamie Niblick has returned home after a few weeks' visit at Abington.

Miss Edna Stradling, of Paoli, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Martha S. Erwin and son and Mrs. C. W. Spencer are spending a few days in Ansonia, Conn.

The public school took its annual May day excursion through the big woods near the village on Tuesday.

One of Charles Rue's horses has been unable to work for more than a week, the result of a badly bruised foot.

Rev. W. W. Sweet will preach in the chapel next Sunday afternoon, May 8th, at three o'clock. A cordial invitation to be present is extended to all.

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### Fallsington.

Walter Ely has taken the agency for a vacuum cleaner.

Miss Annie V. Franklin is visiting in Washington, D. C.

Miss Lily Moon has returned from a visit to Trenton Junction.

Miss Elizabeth Pritchard, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Reese.

The Junior L. T. L. met in Library Hall, Saturday afternoon.

Miss Phoebe Hazlett, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. Haines.

Eseck Carver, of Morrisville, is visiting his brother, Charles Carver.

Philip Watson, of Elizabeth, was a recent guest at his home here.

Miss Eva Atkinson, of Newtown, spent several days at Dr. J. N. Richards this week.

Charles Comfort has returned to Denver, Col., after making a visit to his parents here.

A heavy white frost on Friday morning reminded us of the old adage "winter lingers in the lap of spring."

Leon B. Sickles was elected secretary of the Bucks County Base Ball League at a meeting held at Langhorne.

Lila Johnson has completed the course of stenography at the Rider, Moore & Stewart Business College, Trenton.

Albert S. Hibbs has the contract for building the barn for Anthony R. Sickles, which was destroyed by fire April 11th.

Harry Brelsford has resigned his position with the Adams Electric Company, Trenton, on account of the ill health of his father.

The L. T. L. met at the home of Miss Effie Watson on Saturday evening. The next meeting will be held on May 7th at Miss Clara Wolperts.

Frank P. Warrington is having a bath room established in his home; he also expects to put in hot water heat. Albert S. Hibbs has the contract.

A May Hop will be given in Library Hall on Friday evening, May 13th. The committee are Raymond Clemens and Edward Swope. About one hundred invitations will be issued.

The commencement exercises of the High School will be held in Library Hall on Friday evening, May 27th. The class has three members, Misses Dorothea Hibbs, Mamie Neuman and David Saylor.

George W. Balderston, who is engaged in the plumbing business in Trenton, will erect a new dwelling house on the Ferry road, near James M. Moon's above Morrisville, this summer. The house will be built of stone from the Stockton quarries.

The beautiful wisteria at the home of William E. Watson deserves more than passing mention. The whole porch on the front of the house is draped with masses of the exquisite bloom, and forms a picture which is extremely attractive to lovers of the artistic and beautiful.

### Newtown.

Mrs. M. Amanda Heston planted five trees on her lawn on Arbor day.

Miss Lavinia B. Eyre visited Miss Eleanor Worthington, of Rushland, on Sunday.

Miss Margaret McLean was a week-end guest of Miss Sara Carpenter, of Taylorsville.

Miss Helen T. Worstall was a week-end visitor of Miss Margaretta Mather, of Langhorne.

Miss Esther M. Watson is teaching school in Philadelphia, going and returning each day.

Dr. William J. Martins, of Philadelphia, is assisting Dr. Howard A. Trego, in his dental work.

Margaret Higgins, accompanied by Hettie Walton, of Pineville, has gone to California for a long stay.

Russell Richardson, of Brookline, Mass., has been spending a few days with the family of Thomas Briggs.

Mrs. J. Herman Barnsley entertained some lady friends at a "Bridge" luncheon on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ebert, of Greenwich, Conn., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herman Barnsley.

Mrs. John Fallon and daughter, Miss Mary Fallon, of Philadelphia, were visiting friends in town on Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Gray, a former chaplain of the G. A. R., will deliver the address at the cemetery on Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Worthington, of Philadelphia, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evan T. Worthington.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association it was decided to have a ball team in the county league for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds and son, of Scranton, were week-end guests of the latter's father, Capt. William Wynkoop.

Bishop Kinsman, of Delaware, will hold the confirmation services in St. Lukes P. E. Church on Thursday evening, the fifth.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Watson will entertain friends a dinner on Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Frank Reynolds, of Scranton.

On account of Joseph H. Chamberlin being afflicted with rheumatism, he has gone to the home of his parents, at Hamilton Square, N. J.

The books of the library have been newly catalogued and neatly arranged on the shelves, and adds much to the appearance and simplifies the work.

Mrs. A. W. Watson gave a luncheon on Tuesday to a number of her lady friends, in honor of her friend, Mrs. Frank Reynolds, who is her guest this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Worstall gave a reception to a number of their friends of the town, on Wednesday evening, it being the third anniversary of their marriage.

The president and twelve members of the New Century Club, of Newtown, attended a reciprocity meeting of the club at Fox Chase on Tuesday, which was a very enjoyable affair.

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Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Geer and children and maid, of Logansport, Indiana, arrived in town on Saturday morning. Mr. Geer made a brief stay and the others will make an extended visit with Mrs. Henry C. Thornton.

A gloom was cast over our town on Wednesday evening, when word came that our former townsman, William Smith, residing in Richboro, had died at a hospital in West Philadelphia, after an operation the previous day.

Marble deposits that have not their equal in the world have been discovered, says the German Umschau, in German Southwest Africa, in the region of Habis, Karibib, Navastab and Kubas. Elsewhere marble has only been found hitherto in deposits of at most ten feet thick, but through the districts named there runs a range of hills 1200 feet high, half a mile broad and many miles in length, practically of pure marble.

## LANGHORNE LOCALS

**A Budget of Interesting Items Gathered by Our Correspondent.**

Miss Susan W. Gilliam has sold her farm to Mr. Patterson.

Mrs. James H. Young is about again, after a serious illness.

Harry Gilliam, of Swarthmore College, was home over Sunday.

Mr. Swan and Matthew Roe, of Trenton, were Sunday visitors.

Mrs. J. Pierce Flowers is having her house attractively re-painted.

Mrs. Andrew M. Bye, of Germantown, has been visiting relatives.

Samuel Richardson and wife have been visiting at Joseph Richardson's.

Michael A. Dempsey and Miss Helen Dempsey were in town on Sunday.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will meet this Friday afternoon in the lecture room.

Many Friends from here anticipate attending the Yearly Meeting next week.

Dr. W. J. Row, of Philadelphia, was a recent guest of Dr. Henry Lovett.

The Presbyterian Sunday school is rehearsing music for Children's Day, June 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gatchel and Miss Lela Gatchell, of Philadelphia, were recent visitors.

Malcolm Hannum, of the George School, has been visiting his fellow student, Charles H. Lovett.

Miss Carrie Ashton and Miss Edna Ashton, of Holmesburg, were visiting friends on Friday and Saturday.

The business meeting of the C. E. will be held at Miss Elizabeth J. Esherick's on Friday evening, May 13th.

A drain has been laid to carry the overflow of water from Hill and Maple avenue to the north of the latter street.

Franklin Taylor had a stroke of paralysis on Tuesday, affecting the side that had not been affected by the preceding stroke.

The next convention of the Fourth District Sabbath Schools of Bucks county, will be held June 1, at the Richboro Reform Church.

William Reeder, of the George School track team, ran remarkably well at the relay races at Franklin Field on Saturday. A number from here attended the races.

George Hackett has vacated the store at the Townsend Building, and the room has been opened this week by Mrs. Polnsett, for a light lunch place and the sale of Crane's ice cream.

"Mother's Day" will be observed at the M. E. Church this Sunday morning. The subject of the sermon will be "A Plea for Christian Mothers." Parents are especially invited to bring their children.

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The evening service of the Methodist Episcopal Church this Sunday will be devoted to the great Hymns of the Church. A musical programme has been arranged and a short address will be given by the pastor on "The Place of Music in Worship."

Henry S. Fry, organist at Holy Trinity Memorial Chapel, and Miss Edna Florence Smith, soloist at St. Matthews, Philadelphia, will give a recital at the Presbyterian Church this Monday evening, May 9th. Everyone cordially invited.

Naomi Morrell, daughter of Mrs. Merton Morrell, died of consumption on Sunday and was laid to rest on Tuesday at 2 o'clock in the A. M. E. burying ground. She was a favorite among her young friends and among the older people, the funeral being very largely attended.

A number from here attended the wedding of Miss Elva Souden Eels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibbs Eels, to George Leidy Parker, Jr., which was solemnized at the Bethlehem Presbyterian Church, Broad and Diamond streets, at 7 o'clock. Reception immediately followed at the Bellevue-Stratford.

### Parkland.

William A. Grosseck has returned for a time to his city home.

Lincoln G. Line, of Bristol, was a Sunday visitor at his place.

Joseph Goodman has planted a privet hedge in front of his residence on avenue C.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Erhart are again at their summer residence on Highland avenue.

Miss Katie Braun and Miss Louise Erhart, of Philadelphia, recently enjoyed a visit at this place.

Isaac Wallace recently made a business trip to this place in reference to his cottage in Spring Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dennis, of Philadelphia, recently spent a time at their cottage in Spring Grove.

Walter Lewis and daughter, Miss Eva Lewis, have moved their household goods up from the city to their residence on avenue A.

Miss Mary J. Doll, of Philadelphia, spent Friday and Saturday last at her cottage in Spring Grove, where she entertained Mrs. J. C. Nevin, also of Philadelphia.

Miss Ida May Cook, a former teacher at Parkland school, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mather, and is also calling on other friends in this vicinity.

Harry Powell and family are again located at their pleasant cottage on Sunflower avenue, where they are entertaining Charles Gallagher, Joseph Gallagher and Master Willie Gallagher, all of Philadelphia.

After spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Dutton, at Vineland, N. J., Mrs. Mary J. Jennings has returned for the season to "Pioneer Cottage." Her daughter accompanied her and will remain for a time.

Several of our people attended services last Sunday at the Temple of the First Association of Spiritualists, 12th and Thompson streets, Philadelphia, where special sessions were held in commemoration of the 62nd anniversary of so-called modern spiritualism, which were in every way a grand success, with large audiences to thoroughly enjoy the entire programme. At the morning and evening sessions fine discourses were delivered by the regular speaker, Rev. G. Tabor Thompson while the afternoon was given over entirely to Progressive Lyceum work. Fine music and singing were marked features of the day and the temple was profusely decorated with palms and choice fragrant flowers. Previous to his discussion the speaker announced that after years of struggle with a mortgage against the temple the balance of $4000 had during the past year been raised and the building would soon be entirely cleared of debt. Also $600 had been paid for opera chairs and other ways to beautify the place, beside some $2000 for running expenses. All of which is a good showing financially.

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## THE MEN'S MEETINGS.

One of the most remarkable events, or rather series of events, that have taken place in the history of Bristol is the Sunday afternoon meetings for men which have closed for the season at the First Baptist Church.

When it is taken into consideration that Bristol has been notorious for the fact that the men of the town do not go to the protestant churches, the record established at the men's meetings is truly marvelous.

The fourth year of these meetings has just closed and during the season 5,280 attended those meetings, an average of 211 at a meeting, and a gain of 342 over the total number of the previous year.

This splendid result in a commendable field of labor was accomplished by the zeal and the earnestness and the self-sacrificing spirit of the leader, Rev. W T. Johnston, who gave his best endeavors to get the best speakers to address these meetings and to his credit may it be said, that he got some of the most talented men in the country.

By these meetings Mr Johnston has not had the view of building up a church so much as building up a people. All through all the meetings the one theme pervaded, an appeal to men to live righteous lives, to develop a brotherhood of man to believe in the task of lifting up his neighbor. All the appeals from the pulpit have been for men to live better and christian lives. These simple gospel themes have drawn men by the hundreds to Mr Johnston's church, they have gone there Sunday after Sunday, hundreds of them; men who heretofore have spent their Sundays in idle pursuits and it must be acknowledged that these meetings have had beneficent results, as they have been the marvel of everyone who has been here to address this church full of men.

Mr Johnston cannot help feeling gratified that his devotion to the men's cause has been rewarded. He has wrought a good work.

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Wilbur F. Wakeman, head of the American Protective Tariff League, a tariff graft organization, is greatly disturbed over the report that the President and the regulars in Congress have decided to endow the tariff board with some live functions. Wakeman is alarmed lest there should be some genuine downward revision and is bombarding Senators and Representatives with strenuous protests against adding a single word to the present tariff law. Rarely have Wakeman's letters been more hysterical than they are now. He says, "It is incredible and preposterous" that the standpatters are "going to surrender their convictions and their principles." Wakeman says that the business of the country is not calling for more tariff agitation, but neglects to say anything about the consumers. He takes the tariff board seriously to task and charges it with having "flagrantly violated the law." He charges a conspiracy to start a propaganda "looking to the entire removal of the tariff on wool." He talks most disrespectfully of the members of the board, protesting against leaving the policy of protection to the tender mercies of "Professor Emery, Jimmie Reynolds and Beef Trust Sanders."

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After reading of the great scandal in political circles, the looting of financial institutions, bribery and corruption in cities, legislatures and in the business world, we cannot help but feel that the great need of this day is more good men. We need men who are honest, sound from center to circumference, true to the heart's core; men who will condemn wrong in friend or foe, in themselves as well as others; men whose consciences are steady as the needle to the pole; men who stand for the right if the heavens totter and the earth falls, men who never lag nor flinch, men that have courage without shouting; men in whom the currents of everlasting life run still, deep and strong; men who do not cry or spoil their voices to be heard on the streets but who will not falter or be discouraged, till judgment be set on earth; men who will not lie, men who are not too lazy to work nor too proud to be poor; men who have the pluck to fight the crowd for the crowd's own good.

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"Carlo," the young poet, who has been pardoned after serving four years in the penitentiary in Wisconsin, was sentenced to a ten-year term for stealing $24 while in a starving condition. Snyder, Shumaker, Sanderson and Mathues, who were convicted of looting the "House of a Thousand Scandals," at Harrisburg, of millions, got the extreme punishment of a sentence to TWO years in the penitentiary. This should be a warning to young men, that if they are going to steal, be sure and steal millions, the penalty is not near so severe. We know a Bristol fellow who broke into a box car and was sentenced to a dozen or more years behind the bars.

"The tariff is coming up again and business is surely going to the dogs"—thus are old fears finding familiar voice. Fellows like Eugene Foss of course know nothing about business or its needs. Only the old hunkers who have for years worshipped blindly at the shrine of high tariff as the sole author and conservator of the country's industrial prosperity are competent to talk about this subject. Nevertheless, this new tariff reform movement is to be more largely a movement of business men than any other the country ever had, for reasons that ought to be obvious and which we need not now go into.

The regulars in Congress complain that President Taft fiddles while Rome is burning. They claim that administration measures, in which the President should be vitally interested, seem to command none of Mr. Taft's serious attention. The chief executive is accused of junketing around the country on pleasure trips while the railroad bill and other measures of his are in grave danger of defeat. The President is accused of caring more for travel, base ball games and dinners than for the serious affairs of his office.

Champ Clark, the minority leader in the House of Representatives, is quoted as saying that Senator Aldrich was right when the latter stated that he could run the government at an annual saving of $300,000,000. The Missouri Congressman declared, "I know that this government could be run just as well as it is today if one-third of all the Federal officials in the United States were decapitated this minute and turned out among the people to go to work again."

The Gazette, with a deep sense of appreciation, acknowledges the vote of approval extended this newspaper by 350 women, who attended the women's meeting at the Bristol Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon. This action on the part of that large audience, aside from being so entirely unexpected, was one that goes a long way toward making the work of endeavoring to publish a clean, reliable newspaper a real pleasure. Ladies, we thank you.

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The carded wool manufacturers have not been personally heard from in some time. Politically, however, they are being heard from with large emphasis. Their campaign against the iniquitous woolen schedule as doctored up to suit William Whitman and a select class of worsted manufacturers has not been without effect in the present popular uprising against fraudulent tariff reform; and it has also played a part in forwarding the McCall campaign contribution publicity bill. The carded wool men have charged that the western wool growers and eastern worsted interests bought exemption of the wool and woolen schedule from any revision by contributing handsomely to the Republican cause in 1908 through the Republican congressional committee and their charge still remains undisposed of.

One of those amazing feats of skill which only occur in chess took place in Philadelphia, recently, when Emanuel Lasker, the champion of the world, won 18 out of 20 games against as many players, and brought one other game to a draw. This display in a simultaneous contest has been equaled by Lasker before, and had been equaled by Steinitz (from whom Lasker won the championship) and surpassed by Morphy. With the exception of Morphy, however, Dr. Lasker has probably never had a superior. The player who won from Lasker in this contest was Stasch Mlotkowski, who is state champion of Pennsylvania and evidently a genius. Dr. Lasker is Jewish, calm, self-centered and deliberate—something of a philosopher aside from his chess, and has contributed something to the literature of the game.

The New York Evening Post well sums up the regret with which the sanest observers of American politics view the retirement of Governor Hughes to the supreme court of the United States when it says: "The strongest source for reform strongest because of wise radicalism allied with a judicial temperament—is now to go out of our workaday political life." And it was in the arena that "Charles the Baptist" was sorely needed. He has the power of leadership through constructive statesmanship as no other Republican of his time promises to exhibit it. His speeches have been an educative force, always soundly considered, as to matter, and full of power even when one might disagree with some of his conclusions. He never comes to a public occasion unprepared to give of the best that is in him, and so is always worth listening to. Public respect has come to him in so universal measure that William J. Bryan's criticism of Governor Hughes' qualifications for the United States supreme court will strike the people unpleasantly.

### The Injustice in Wool.

Philadelphia Record

Charles H Harding, a worsted spinner of this city, has the same sort of elastic views upon the tariff that William Wood of the Woolen Trust, and William Whitman have. The views of all of them show that while protection is described as a great economic system it is really merely a game of grab. Whitman did not like the tariff of 1883, and maintained a vigorous agitation for its change. He likes the tariff of 1909, and complains that efforts to change it would unsettle business. Wood was in favor of ad valorem duties when the Dingley tariff was under discussion and declared he would rather have the Wilson tariff than such a schedule as the Ohio sheepmasters were insisting on, and which was finally incorporated in the bill. Since then his interests have gone into worsted, and he can't see why anybody should find fault with the present tariff.

Mr Harding has been praising the present tariff and declaring the carded wool manufacturers have no ground for their complaints. And yet twelve years ago, in an address before the Warp and Weft Club of the Philadelphia Textile School, he said:

"The experience of this country has been under its 11 to wool duties that there is never imported any considerable quality of fine wool that shrinks over 60 per cent. When you import a hundred pounds of fine greasy wool and get out of it only forty pounds of clean wool, the 11 cents a pound becomes a very serious matter."

But now Mr Harding describes as a falsehood "the charge of discrimination by means of a specific duty amounting, the complainants claim, to prohibition in their particular case."

One of the largest clips of Adelaide wool was imported into the United States for carded woolen goods when the Wilson tariff made wool free. It cannot be imported now, because it shrinks 80 per cent, and more. The duty on this wool would come to 27½ cents per scoured pound, while the worsted men can import Australian and South American cross-bred combing wool, shrinking 30 cents a pound at a duty equivalent to 15 5-7 cents. Cape wool shrinks 60 to 80 per cent., and Americans cannot afford to import it.

Mr. Harding, who pointed out the injustice of specific duties on wool in 1898, and denies any injustice in 1910, objected last year to ad valorem duties on the ground that wools might be undervalued 2 or 3 per cent. To guard against that he would have specific duties that run up to 100 and 200 per cent. on some varieties of wool that he doesn't use. But S. N. D. North, a Protectionist and a wool expert, told the Dingley committee that the specific duties were objectionable, because they compelled the American purchaser of foreign wool "to pay a tax upon every pound of dirt and grease which it contains," and as to the danger of under valuation he said:

"I do not believe there is a commodity sold in the world of any description the market value of which is more accurately, publicly and universally known than that of wool. It is like cotton, wheat and other staple products in that respect. All the wools of the world, practically which reach the public market are sold at auction."

There is said to be honor among thieves, but the wool manufacturers are not content with combining with the ranch owners against the consumers, but the combed wool manufacturers even conspire with Senators to get the better of their colleagues, the carded wool manufacturers.

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday services, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Sunday school, 2 30 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6 45.
Tuesday evening, Ladies Union Prayer meeting and Teachers' Training Class on Wednesday evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

S. W. Gehrett, pastor.

"Mother's Day."—10 30 a. m., Rev. J. D Martin, D. D., of Philadelphia. 7 45 p m., preaching by the pastor. Subject "Our Nation's Debt to Mothers."

2 00 p. m., Sunday school.
6 45 p. m., Epworth League.
Class meetings Sunday, 9.30 a m, Tuesday, 8 00 p. m.
Junior Epworth League, Wednesday, 4.15 p. m.; prayer meeting, 8 00 p. m.

BAPTIST

The pastor will preach Sunday morning and evening. Morning service at 10 30
Sunday school and "drop in class" at 2 00 o'clock.
Young People's meeting at 6 45.
Evening service at 8 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL.

Morning prayer, and sermon, 10 30.
Sunday school, 2 30 p. m.
Evening prayer and sermon, 7 30.
Appointments for the week are as follows:
Girls' Friendly Society, Monday, 8 p. m.
Women's Guild at the residence of Mrs Bostwick, Wednesday, 2 p. m. Last meeting.
Evening prayer and sermon, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Men's Club, in parish house, Thursday, 7 45 p. m.
Choir practice, Friday, 8 p. m.

EDDINGTON PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday school, with classes for all ages and grades, at 9 30 a. m.
Preaching service, at 10 45 a. m., sermon by the pastor, Rev T Clayton Welles.
Evening service at 7 45. Subject "The Christian Graces." Preliminary song service. Leader, Charles S. Wood.
Business meeting of Y. P. S. C. E. at the chapel, Monday evening.
Ladies Missionary meeting on Wednesday, 3 30 p. m. at the chapel.
Cottage prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at the residence of Lloyd Arentz, Bridgewater.
On Saturday evening an attractive concert will be given under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society, at the P. O. S. of A. Hall, in Cornwells. Entertainers have been engaged from New York and Philadelphia, and a musical and literary treat of rare quality may be expected.

NEWPORTVILLE UNION

Sunday school for all ages, 2 30 p. m. Everybody welcome.
Prayer and praise service led by Rev. T. C. Welles, 3 30 p. m.
Evening service will be led by Rev. William VanHorn, with special singing, commencing 7. 30. All welcome.
A mock trial will be held at the League Building, Friday, May 6, by the Literary Society. Come and have a good treat.

### Medical Society to Meet Here

The spring meeting of the Bucks County Medical Society will be held in the Algonquin Club, Bristol, Wednesday, May 17th, 1910, at 11 45 a. m., when business session will begin.

Action will be taken upon the following applications for membership: Lawrence J. Windel, M. D., (Jefferson '93,) Andalusia; Francis Gurney Cope, M. D. (Medico Chi. 09,) Riegelsville; Irwin F. Huff, M. D., (Univ. of Vermont,) Sellersville.

One delegate and two alternates will be elected members of the House of Delegates of the State Society, and a District Censor will be nominated.

The following amendment to the Constitution was proposed at the February meeting and will be acted upon: Article V, Section 2, shall be changed so as to read, "The annual dues shall be three dollars, payable each November in advance."

This amendment, if adopted, will go into effect November 1, 1910.

Scientific Session, 12 30 p. m., subject, "Surgical Treatment of Diseases of the Kidneys," L. T. Montgomery, M. D., Professor of Gynecology, Jefferson Medical College.

Dinner at the Closson House at 1 30 o'clock. Fee one dollar.

Algonquin Club, 2 30 subject, "Medical Treatment of Diseases of the Kidneys," David L. Edsall, M. D., Professor of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania. Discussion.—Bucks County Medical Monthly.

### The Falling Apart of Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Taft

The very title of this article—by Alfred Henry Lewis in the May Human Life—prepares the reader for a story of uncommon interest. Mr Lewis goes straight to the heart of things, to the first meeting of these two men so different in disposition and make-up and traces therefrom the influences that have shaped the public careers and acts of each in relation to his story.

Like the skilful dramatists the writer never loses sight of his main theme—the falling apart of Mr Roosevelt and Mr. Taft—although around it he weaves the necessary details. These digressions are necessary to introduce the other characters, all of whom play important parts in the drama. For instance, he discloses the crafty aims of a Roosevelt cabineteer, who is styled the "American Richelieu"—tells who is on the White House backstairs—and Mr. Taft's Aldrich-corporation preference and other matters are puzzles not so difficult of solution.

When Congress convened in December, 1908, and Mr Roosevelt got ready for his last battle—then it was strange matters came to pass. Happenings unknown to the outside public—helped on by crafty foes—led up to the climax that forms the subject of this article. Mr. Lewis turns the light of publicity on some of these events for the first time. Mr Roosevelt, with a heart full of bitterness, battened down the hatches over the fires aboil inside, till the wild, wild wastes of Africa should somewhat have cooled them, if that were possible.

Summing up the past, and from it shrewdly casting a prophetic eye on 1912, the author's observations on certain happenings peculiarly calculated to bring Mr. Roosevlet again into the running are dynamic with significance.

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The Buffalo Express says that a man who asks for a napkin in a quick lunch room is apt to be put down as a snob. Some day in the near future it will probably be an uncommon thing for Buffalo people to use spoons.

Rain falls more frequently between 3 and 8 in the morning than between any other hours.

## LITTLE TARIFF TALKS.

THAT "CONSUMPTION VALUE."

Bristol, May 1.

To the Editor.—President Taft in a recent speech is quoted as saying: "In the new tariff there were 654 decreases, 220 increases and 1,150 items of the dutiable list unchanged. These increases are said to be on articles which have a consumptive value of 5 billion dollars, while increases are on those having a consumptive value of 1 billion dollars. "Therefore, I repeat," he says "that this was a downward revision." Grant the last statement is true, then I want to inquire what constitutes these 654 articles on which the tariff was decreased, and what part of that 5 billion dollars worth was on articles used and consumed altogether by the great trusts and corporations, who alone will be benefitted by the reduction. A. P. B.

It would be a long task to procure complete information on these general questions. But enough information is available, and from government statistics, to show that the figures used by the President, and which he doubtless procured from the estimates made by the finance committee of the Senate—the committee chiefly responsible for the new Tariff Law—are utterly misleading as he presented them.

First of all this estimate is far from complete. For example, it does not include any figures on the notorious wool schedule, nor does it embody the consumption value of the steel products on which the duty was raised. When it is remembered that the duty was advanced on structural steel it may be guessed that there was some purpose in omitting estimates on the consumption value of the steel products on which duties were increased.

However, the estimates, so far as made and as used by the defenders of the tariff, are most deceptive. It is claimed, for instance, that the duties have been reduced on metals and manufactures having a consumption value of nearly 1¼ billion, but the duties were so high on nearly all the items of this schedule that the reductions could be made while at the same time the tariff would still remain practically prohibitive.

The consumption value of agricultural products on which duties were slightly reduced is given as 483 millions, but the tariff never has affected the prices of agricultural products in the least, simply because there is a foreign demand for all the surplus we can raise. It is a very easy thing to reduce a tariff that has no effect and has been placed merely as a sop to such farmers as may be simple minded enough to think it means something to them.

In that gross consumption value of articles on which the duties were lowered is an item of 567 millions belonging to the sugar schedule in which the reduction was about one-third of 1 per cent. Think of calling that a reduction.

And in all the reductions it must be remembered that they were made largely on overprotected articles and only to such an extent as still to leave the duties substantially prohibitive. For this reason comparatively few of the reductions effect the cost of living. On the other hand, the increases in duties were made where there was some real competition, with the result that nearly every increase directly affects the cost of the articles advanced. In the cotton schedule, for example, the consumption value of articles on which the duty was advanced aggregates 462 millions, and every advance counts in the cost of cottons.

Furthermore let it not be overlooked that of the items on the dutiable list more than half were untouched in a revision that the country was promised would be general. No such list of exemptions could have been possible if Congress had carried out the promise of the Republican platform to make the basis of revision the difference between the cost of production at home and abroad.

### Letter to Benjamin J. Taylor.

Bristol, Pa.

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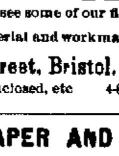

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## IN AND AROUND THE COUNTY.

County Commissioners at their meeting on Friday made an appropriation of $50 to each of the Grand Army Posts of the county to defray the Memorial Day expenses.

Higgins Brothers had a very large sale at Newtown on Saturday. Twenty-two head of western horses were sold at an average of $220.60. The highest priced horse was $230.

Fishermen of the Malta fishery at New Hope had a big week of it. Thirty-two hundred shad were caught and the men cleared $142 apiece. It was the biggest season for the Malta fishery for nine years.

Hon. Harman Yerkes, Mrs. Yerkes and Miss Helen Buckman, of Doylestown, sailed for Europe from New York on Wednesday on the steamer Adriatic, of the White Star Line, one of the finest of the "ocean greyhounds."

E. L. Loux, State orchard inspector, starts for Pittsburg next Monday to do some tree work in the western part of the State. He will probably be gone for several weeks, but all letters addressed to Souderton will reach him.

The post office at Lansdale was moved on Saturday evening from its old location on Main street to its temporary quarters on Susquehanna avenue, where it will remain during the erection of the new banking house and post office combined.

The William E. Case public school at Morrisville was presented with an American flag, a Bible and pedestal, last Friday evening, by the combined Councils of the Jr. O. U. A. M., of Trenton. The orator of the evening was Hon. Edward L. Katzenbach, of Trenton. His address was full of eloquence and was of a patriotic nature.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Ferry and Miss Ella Reynolds, of Morrisville, left last Thursday for Indianapolis, Ind., where the former will engage in business. The Rev. Mr. Ferry resigned as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Morrisville, a few weeks ago, after serving that church as pastor for three years, having assumed charge at his graduation from Princeton Theological Seminary.

Negroes were not permitted to ride in Philadelphia street cars prior to 1865. In that year one car in every four was set aside for colored people by the Fifth and Sixth streets lines.

William Frederick, Jr., a traveling salesman from Duluth, claims to be the only man in the country who has committed the Bible to memory. It took him 18 years to do it.

## GENERAL FUND

**Commonwealth of Pennsylvania—Treasury Department**

Harrisburg Pa May 2 1910

Statement of amount in the State Treasury at the close of business on April 30 1910 exclusive of moneys appropriated to the Sinking Fund

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| Vandergrift Savings and Trust Company Vandergrift | $12 0 0 |
| American National Bank Ebensburg | 15 000 |
| Ashland National Bank Ashland | 20 000 |
| Athens National Bank Athens | 10 000 |
| Aldine Trust Co Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Allison Hill Bank Harrisburg | [illegible] |
| Bank of Donora Donora | [illegible] |
| Bank of Newberry Williamsport | |
| Brookville Title and Trust Company Brookville | 15 000 |
| Berwick Savings and Trust Company Berwick | 15 000 |
| Bank of Pittsburgh National Association Pittsburgh | 45 000 |
| Bank of Waynesboro Waynesboro | 10 000 |
| Bank of North America Phila | 15 000 |
| Berks County Trust Co Reading | 25 000 |
| Beaver County Trust Company New Brighton | 40 000 |
| Braddock Trust Company, Braddock | 8 000 |
| Bradford National Bank Bradford | 25 000 |
| Bank of Commerce Philadelphia | 40 000 |
| Butler County National Bank Butler | 15 000 |
| Blair County National Bank Tyrone | 15 000 |
| Barclay Westmoreland Trust Co Greensburg | 20 000 |
| Biglerville Natl Bank Biglerville | 5 000 |
| Burgettstown Natl Bank Burgettstown | 10 000 |
| Braddock Natl Bank Braddock | 20 000 |
| Butler Savings and Trust Co Butler | 20 000 |
| Citizens Natl Bank Muncy | 7 000 |
| County Savings Bank Scranton | 20 000 |
| Citizens Trust Company Clarion | 15 000 |
| Central National Bank Phila | 45 000 |
| Cambridge Trust Co Chester | 20 000 |
| Chambersburg Trust Company Chambersburg | 10 000 |
| Chester National Bank Chester | 25 000 |
| Citizens National Bank Washington | 15 000 |
| Citizens Banking Company Oil City | 20 000 |
| Citizens National Bank New Castle | 20 000 |
| City Deposit Bank Pittsburgh | 10 0 0 |
| Clearfield Trust Company Clearfield | 40 000 |
| Columbia National Bank Pittsburgh | 100 000 |
| Commercial Bank Harrisburg | 10 000 |
| Commonwealth Trust Company Pittsburgh | 25 000 |
| Corn Exchange National Bank, Phila | 35 000 |
| Colonial Trust Company Phila | 50 000 |
| Commercial National Bank Bradford | 25 000 |
| Conestoga National Bank Lancaster | 10 000 |
| Citizens Bank Fayette City | 20 000 |
| Citizens National Bank Waynesburg | 10 000 |
| Citizens National Bank Meyersdale | 40 000 |
| Central Trust Company Altoona | 20 000 |
| Citizens Trust Co Gettysburg | 8 000 |
| Colonial Trust Company Pittsburgh | 100 000 |
| Commercial Trust Company Phila | 30 000 |
| Citizens National Bank Lansford | 10 000 |
| Clearfield National Bank Clearfield | 25 000 |
| Carnegie Trust Co Carnegie | 10 000 |
| Citizens Bank St Clair | 8 000 |
| Continental Trust Co Pittsburgh | 25 000 |
| County National Bank Clearfield | 20 000 |
| Citizens National Bank Newport | 5 000 |
| Citizens Deposit Trust Co Allentown | 10 000 |
| Citizens Bank Freeland | 10 000 |
| City Bank McKeesport | 10 000 |
| Citizens Natl Bank Connellsville | 15 000 |
| Citizens Natl Bank Reynoldsville | 10 000 |
| Citizens Trust Co [illegible] | 10 000 |
| Central Trust Co Pittsburg | 12 000 |
| Catawissa Natl Bank Catawissa | 10 000 |
| Clinton Trust Co Lock Haven | 8 000 |
| Coatesville Trust Co Coatesville | 15 000 |
| Colonial Trust Co North Sharon | 7 000 |
| Chester County Trust Co West Chester | 10 000 |
| Diamond National Bank Pittsburgh | 20 000 |
| Dollar Savings Fund and Trust Company Allegheny | 17 000 |
| Dauphin Deposit Company Harrisburg | 40 000 |
| Duquesne National Bank Pittsburgh | 35 000 |
| DuBois National Bank DuBois | 15 000 |
| Delaware Co Natl Bank Chester | 10 000 |
| Dime Savings Bank Kingston | 10 000 |
| Exchange Natl Bank Pittsburgh | 10 000 |
| Emaus Natl Bank Emaus | 8 000 |
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| East End Savings and Trust Company Pittsburgh | 18 000 |
| Fairmount Savings Trust Co Phila | 10 000 |
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| Farmers Bank of McSherrystown McSherrystown | 5 000 |
| Forest Co Natl Bank Tionesta | 20 000 |
| Farmers Natl Bank Freeport | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Middleburg | 15 000 |
| Farmers Trust Company Lancaster | 15 000 |
| Farmers Trust Company Carlisle | 10 000 |
| Fourth Street Natl Bank Philada | 75 000 |
| Farmers National Bank Somerset | 20 000 |
| Federal National Bank Pittsburgh | 30 000 |
| First National Bank Bangor | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Beaver | 25 000 |
| First National Bank Blairsville | 20 000 |
| Farmers and Merchants Trust Company Chambersburg | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Coudersport | 8 000 |
| First National Bank Ebensburg | 25 000 |
| First National Bank Galeton | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Harrisburg | 50 000 |
| First National Bank Lebanon | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Marietta | 20 000 |
| First National Bank of Sheridan Sheridanville | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Danville | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Uniontown | 70 000 |
| First National Bank Wellsboro | 27 000 |
| First National Bank Williamsport | 50 0 0 |
| First National Bank Easton | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Erie | 10 000 |
| First National Bank McKees Rocks | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Hawley | 8 000 |
| First National Bank Towanda | 25 000 |
| Fox Chase Bank Philadelphia | 5 000 |
| Franklin Trust Company Franklin | 15 000 |
| Freehold Bank Pittsburgh | 187 000 |
| Fulton National Bank Lancaster | 20 000 |
| Farmers and Merchants National Bank Tyrone | 8 000 |
| Farmers Bank Indiana | 50 000 |
| First National Bank Wilkinsburg | 15 000 |
| First National Bank McKeesport | 30 000 |
| Frankford Trust Company Frankford Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Fayette City Natl Bank Fayette City | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Perkasie | 8 000 |
| First National Bank Clifton Heights | 10 000 |
| Farmers Natl Bank Bloomsburg | 12 000 |
| First National Bank, Montrose | 8 0 0 |
| First National Bank [illegible] | 8 000 |
| First National Bank Lansdale | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Bradford | 25 000 |
| First National Bank Milford | 8 000 |
| First National Bank Tamaqua | 8 000 |
| First National Bank Addison | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Williamsburg | 8 000 |
| First National Bank Connellsville | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Carbondale | 15 000 |
| First National Bank, Latrobe | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Patton | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Cherry Tree | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Conshohocken | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Nanticoke | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Tyrone | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Marysville | 5 000 |
| Fidelity Deposit and Discount Bank Dunmore | 15 000 |
| Franklin National Bank Philadelphia | 40 000 |
| Farmers Bank, Hummelstown | 5,000 |
| First National Bank Pittston | 10,000 |
| First National Bank Washington | 25 000 |
| First National Bank Braddock | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Hazleton | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Montgomery | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Millerstown | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Dunbar | 8,000 |
| First National Bank Garrett | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Hollidaysburg | 25 000 |
| First National Bank Ambridge | 10 000 |
| First National Bank, Wyoming | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Pen Argyle | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Berlin | 7 000 |
| First National Bank McConnellsburg | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Newport | 7 000 |
| First National Bank Juniata | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Falls Creek | 8 000 |
| First National Bank Forest City | 3 000 |
| First National Bank Montoursville | 1 000 |
| First National Bank Mansfield | 7 000 |
| First National Bank State College | 3 000 |
| First National Bank, New Wilmington | 3 000 |
| First National Bank Emporium | 10 000 |
| Farmers and Merchants Natl Bank Red Lion | 5 000 |
| Farmers and Miners Trust Co Punxsutawney | 5 000 |
| German National Bank Pittsburgh | 100 000 |
| Guaranty Safe Deposit and Trust Company Butler | 20 000 |
| Guarantee Title and Trust Company, Pittsburgh | 20 000 |
| Gold Standard National Bank Marienville | 5 000 |
| Guardian Trust Company York | 10 000 |
| Girard National Bank Philadelphia | 45 000 |
| Girard Avenue Title and Trust Company Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| German National Bank of Allegheny Pittsburgh | 40 000 |
| Grove City National Bank Grove City | 5 000 |
| Grange National Bank of McKean County Smithport | 10 000 |
| Grange National Bank Mansfield | 7 000 |
| Halifax National Bank Halifax | 5,000 |
| Harrisburg National Bank Harrisburg | 50,000 |
| Hamlin Bank and Trust Company Smethport | 20 000 |
| Honesdale National Bank Honesdale | 15,000 |
| Hobilitsel National Bank Hyndman | 5 000 |
| Hamilton Trust Company Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Home Trust Company New Castle | 15,000 |
| Holmesburg Trust Company Philadelphia | 10,000 |
| Integrity Title Insurance and Trust Company Philadelphia | 20,000 |
| Jenkintown National Bank Jenkintown | 17,000 |
| Kane Bank and Trust Company, Kane | 8,000 |
| Keystone National Bank, Pittsburgh | 20 000 |
| Keystone Bank, Scranton | 15,000 |
| Kennett Trust Co Kennett Square | 15 000 |
| Lawrence Savings and Trust Co New Castle | 30 000 |
| Lancaster Trust Company Lancaster | 8 000 |
| Liberty National Bank Pittsburgh | 35 000 |
| Luzerne County National Bank Wilkes Barre | 15 000 |
| Liberty Savings Bank Pittsburgh | 15 000 |
| Logan Trust Co Philadelphia | 10 0 0 |
| Merchants National Bank Phoenixville | 5 000 |
| Monroe County National Bank East Stroudsburg | 10 000 |
| Mutual Trust Co Philadelphia | 8,000 |
| Mechanics National Bank Harrisburg | 10 000 |
| Monongahela Trust Co Homestead | 10 0 0 |
| Merchants National Bank Quakertown | 5 000 |
| McKees Rocks Trust Company McKees Rocks | 15 000 |
| Mifflin National Bank Pittsburgh | 40 0 0 |
| Merchants Banking and Trust Company Mahanoy City | 15 000 |
| Marine National Bank Pittsburgh | 25 000 |
| Miners National Bank Blossburg | 8 000 |
| Mauch Chunk National Bank Mauch Chunk | 20 000 |
| Merchants National Bank Allentown | 1 000 |
| Merchants National Bank, Philadelphia | 30 0 0 |
| Merchants National Bank Bangor | 1 000 |
| Merchants and Mechanics Bank Scranton | 20 000 |
| Mauch Chunk Trust Company Mauch Chunk | 10 00 |
| Market Street National Bank Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Merchants Trust Company Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Market Street National Bank Shamokin | 10 000 |
| Monongahela National Bank Brownsville | 15 000 |
| Mahaffey National Bank Mahaffey | 10 000 |
| Madera National Bank Madera | 5 000 |
| Montgomery National Bank Norristown | 10 000 |
| Manheim National Bank Manheim | 5 000 |
| Muncy Banking Co Muncy | 5 000 |
| Miners Deposit Bank Lykens | 5 000 |
| Midway National Bank Midway | 1 000 |
| Northwestern National Bank Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| National Bank of Germantown Phila | 20 000 |
| National Bank of Coatesville Coatesville | 25 000 |
| National Bank of Jersey Shore Jersey Shore | 20 000 |
| Nazareth National Bank Nazareth | 10 000 |
| North Philadelphia Trust Company Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Northern National Bank Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Northern Trust and Savings Company Lancaster | 10 000 |
| Northern Trust Company Philadelphia | 12 000 |
| National Bank of Malvern Malvern | 25 000 |
| Nanticoke National Bank Nanticoke | 8 000 |
| National Bank of Catasauqua Catasauqua | 10 000 |
| National Security Bank Philadelphia | 25 000 |
| National Bank of Chambersburg Chambersburg | 15 000 |
| National Iron Bank Pottstown | 15 000 |
| National Bank of Chester Valley Coatesville | 12 000 |
| New Bethlehem Trust Company New Bethlehem | 8 000 |
| National Bank of Fayette County Uniontown | 8 000 |
| North Scranton Bank Scranton | 15 000 |
| New Cumberland National Bank New Cumberland | 5 000 |
| National Bank of West Penn Pittsburgh | 10 000 |
| Ninth National Bank Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| National Bank of Claysville Claysville | 15 000 |
| National Bank of Brookville Brookville | 8 000 |
| Oil City Trust Company Oil City | 7 000 |
| Palmyra Bank Palmyra | 30 000 |
| Providence Bank Scranton | 5 000 |
| Peoples Bank Steelton | 5 000 |
| Peoples Natl Bank Lancaster | 8 000 |
| Philadelphia National Bank Philadelphia | 8 000 |
| Penn National Bank Philadelphia | 40 000 |
| Peoples National Bank Scranton | 25 000 |
| Provident Life and Trust Co Philadelphia | 30 000 |
| Peoples National Bank Reynoldsville | 20 000 |
| Philson National Bank Berlin | 12 000 |
| Peoples Bank Wilkes-Barre | 10 000 |
| Peoples Savings Bank Pittsburgh | 17 000 |
| Peoples National Bank Waynesburg | 15 000 |
| Pelham Trust Company Philadelphia | 25 000 |
| Pittsburgh Trust Co Pittsburgh | 10 4 00 |
| Peoples Bank Erie | 10 000 |
| Punxsutawney National Bank Punxsutawney | 10 000 |
| Peoples Trust Company Philadelphia | 5 000 |
| Real Estate Trust Co Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Real Estate Trust Co Washington | 15 000 |
| Ridge Avenue Bank Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Reading National Bank Reading | 10 000 |
| Royersford Trust Company Royersford | 10 000 |
| Reading Trust Company Reading | 12 000 |
| Rittenhouse Trust Co Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Republic Trust Co Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Rochester Trust Co Rochester | 5 000 |
| Second National Bank Clarion | 10 000 |
| Second National Bank of Frankford Philadelphia | 10 000 |
| Second National Bank Pittsburg | 20 000 |
| Second National Bank Allegheny | 20 000 |
| Security Savings and Trust Co Erie | 12 000 |
| Sixth National Bank Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Standing Stone National Bank Huntingdon | 5 000 |
| Southwark National Bank Philadelphia | 45 000 |
| Second National Bank Mechanicsburg | 8 000 |
| Second National Bank Titusville | 8 000 |
| Swarthmore National Bank Swarthmore | 5 000 |
| Second National Bank Erie | 15 000 |
| Second National Bank Wilkes Barre | 15 000 |
| South Side Bank Scranton | 8,000 |
| Security Trust Company Harrisburg | 10 000 |
| South Side Bank Wilkes Barre | 10 000 |
| Second National Bank Meyersdale | 10 000 |
| Second National Bank Connellsville | 8 000 |
| Third National Bank Pittsburg | 25 000 |
| Traders National Bank Scranton | 15 000 |
| Tradesmens Trust Company Phila | 25 000 |
| Tradesmens National Bank Phila | 20 000 |
| Tacony Trust Company Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Tarentum Savings & Trust Company Tarentum | 10 000 |
| Third National Bank Scranton | 10 000 |
| Tioga County Savings & Trust Company Wellsboro | 27 000 |
| Tamaqua National Bank Tamaqua | 10 000 |
| Trust Company of North America Philadelphia | 25 000 |
| Tower City National Bank Tower City | 10 000 |
| Tradesmens National Bank Conshohocken | 10 000 |
| Turtle Creek Savings & Trust Co Turtle Creek | 10 000 |
| Valley National Bank Chambersburg | 8 000 |
| Union Trust Company of Pennsylvania Harrisburg | 25 000 |
| Union National Bank Summerville | 2 500 |
| Union Deposit & Trust Co Waynesburg | 10 000 |
| Union National Bank Minersville | 5 000 |
| Union National Bank Mahanoy City | 11 000 |
| Union Trust Company Washington | 15 000 |
| Union Trust Company Pittsburgh | 100 000 |
| United States National Bank Johnstown | 15 000 |
| Union National Bank Johnstown | 20 000 |
| Union National Bank McKeesport | 20 000 |
| United Security Life Insurance & Trust Co Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| Union National Bank Lewisburg | 10 000 |
| Union National Bank Mt Carmel | 9 000 |
| Union Trust Co Donora | 8 000 |
| Union National Bank New Castle | 10 000 |
| Washington Trust Co Washington | 15 000 |
| Warren Trust Co Warren | 15 000 |
| Western Savings & Deposit Bank Pittsburgh | 17 000 |
| Wyoming Valley Trust Co Wilkes Barre | 15 000 |
| West End Trust Co Philadelphia | 10 000 |
| Wilmerding National Bank Wilmerding | 9 000 |
| Windber Trust Co Windber | 15 000 |
| Western National Bank Philadelphia | 25 000 |
| Williams Valley Bank Williamstown | 5 000 |
| Wyoming National Bank Wilkes Barre | 10,000 |
| West Branch National Bank Williamsport | 10 000 |
| West Side Bank Scranton | 10 000 |
| West Phila Title & Trust Co Phila | 17 000 |
| Wyoming National Bank Tunkhannock | 7 000 |
| Yough National Bank Connellsville | 90 000 |
| York County National Bank York | 20 000 |
| Farmers' Deposit National Bank Pittsburgh | 91 424 28 |
| Harrisburg Trust Co Harrisburg | 18 298 11 |
| Quaker City Natl Bank Phila | 192 888 66 |
| First National Bank Pittsburgh | 65 954 72 |
| Commonwealth Trust Co Harrisburg | 148 531 39 |
| Farmers & Mechanics' Natl Bank Philadelphia | 300 229 91 |

Total amount in General Fund $[illegible] 160 230 1[illegible]

State of Pennsylvania, City of Harrisburg SS

Personally appeared before me R. K. Young, Auditor General, John O. Sheatz, State Treasurer, who being duly sworn according to law, saith that the foregoing statement is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 29th day of April 1910.

R. K. YOUNG, Auditor General. JOHN O. SHEATZ, State Treasurer.

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R. K. YOUNG, Auditor General.

Harrisburg, Pa.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND—TREASURY DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA

Statement of Balance in Sinking Fund at the close of business on April 30th 1910

| | |
|---|---|
| Allegheny Trust Company Allegheny | $45 000 |
| Altoona Trust Company Altoona | 10 000 |
| Apollo Trust Company Apollo | 20 000 |
| Blair County Title and Trust Company Altoona | 10 000 |
| Bank of Charleroi Charleroi | 11 000 |
| Bank of Commerce Philadelphia | 25 000 |
| Bank of Pittsburgh National Association Pittsburgh | 80 000 |
| Bank of Waynesboro Waynesboro | 10 000 |
| Bloomsburg Natl Bank Bloomsburg | 8 000 |
| Carnegie Trust Company Carnegie | 25 000 |
| Clearfield Trust Company Clearfield | 20 000 |
| Chambersburg Trust Co Chambersburg | 10 000 |
| Charleroi Savings and Trust Company Charleroi | 10 000 |
| Columbia Trust Company Columbia | 10 000 |
| Central Trust Company Harrisburg | 15 000 |
| Commercial Bank Harrisburg | 15 000 |
| Citizens National Bank Lewistown | 10 000 |
| Charter National Bank Media | 15 000 |
| Citizens Savings and Trust Company Mt Pleasant | 10 000 |
| Citizens National Bank Port Allegheny | 5 000 |
| County Savings Bank Scranton | 11 000 |
| Citizens National Bank Windber | 7 000 |
| Citizens Title and Trust Company Uniontown | 10 000 |
| City Bank York | 10 000 |
| Colonial Trust Co Philadelphia | 10 000 |
| Central Trust and Savings Company Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Delaware County National Bank Chester | 10 000 |
| Duquesne National Bank Duquesne | 10 000 |
| Dime Deposit and Discount Bank Scranton | 45 000 |
| Farmers National Bank Athens | 10 000 |
| Federal Title and Trust Company Beaver Falls | 10 0 0 |
| Farmers National Bank Butler | 10 000 |
| Farmers Trust Company Carlisle | 40 000 |
| Farmers National Bank Ephrata | 5 000 |
| Freeport Bank Freeport | 7 000 |
| Farmers Bank Hummelstown | 11 000 |
| Farmers National Bank Lititz | 20 000 |
| Farmers and Mechanics National Bank Media | 10 000 |
| Farmers National Bank of Montrose Montrose | 10 0 0 |
| Farmers National Bank Oxford | 13 000 |
| Federal National Bank Pittsburgh | 60 000 |
| Farmers and Merchants National Bank Tyrone | 5 000 |
| Fayette Title and Trust Company Uniontown | 40 000 |
| Farmers and Merchants Bank West Newton | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Beaver Falls | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Carnegie | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Charleroi | 20 000 |
| First National Bank, Dallastown | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Dunmore | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Elizabeth | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Ellwood City | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Frackville | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Franklin | 18 000 |
| First National Bank Glen Campbell | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Hanover | 11 000 |
| First National Bank Honesdale | 7 000 |
| First National Bank Kane | 18 000 |
| First National Bank Lansford | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Leechburg | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Montoursville | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Mount Joy | 5 000 |
| First National Bank New Bloomfield | 10 0 0 |
| First National Bank New Castle | 20 000 |
| First National Bank Oakdale | 15 000 |
| First National Bank Sayre | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Shenandoah | 8 000 |
| First National Bank of Spring Grove Spring Grove | 5 000 |
| First National Bank Susquehanna | 10 000 |
| First National Bank Uniontown | 80 000 |
| First National Bank West Newton | 5 000 |
| First National Bank York | 50 000 |
| German American Title and Trust Company Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Guarantee Title and Trust Company Pittsburgh | 90 000 |
| Grange National Bank [illegible] | 5 000 |
| Halifax National Bank Halifax | 5 000 |
| Harrisburg Trust Company Harrisburg | 90 000 |
| Hershey Trust Company Hershey | 20 000 |
| Honesdale Dime Bank Honesdale | 5 000 |
| Industrial Trust Title and Savings Company Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Independence Trust Company Philadelphia | 20 000 |
| Jeannette Savings and Trust Company Jeannette | 10 000 |
| Johnstown Bank Johnstown | 15 0 0 |
| Kane Trust and Savings Co Kane | 10 000 |
| Keystone National Bank Manheim | 5 000 |
| Lancaster Trust Co, Lancaster | 12 000 |
| Lincoln National Bank Pittsburgh | 10 000 |
| Lackawanna Trust and Safe Deposit Co Scranton | 15 000 |
| Merchants National Bank Carlisle | 10 000 |
| Merchants National Bank, Harrisburg | 15 000 |
| Merchants National Bank Kittanning | 12 000 |
| Merchants' Banking Trust Company Mahanoy City | 10 000 |
| Mercer County Trust Co Mercer | 20 000 |
| Montoursville National Bank Montoursville | 17 000 |
| Marine National Bank Pittsburgh | 20 000 |
| Mellon National Bank Pittsburgh | 20 000 |
| National Bank of Coatesville Coatesville | 10 000 |
| National Bank of Corry Corry | 5 000 |
| Northern National Bank Lancaster | 12 000 |
| National Bank of Malvern Malvern | 10 000 |
| National Bank of McKeesport McKeesport | 20 000 |
| National Bank of Lawrence County New Castle | 20 000 |
| National Bank of Northern Liberties Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| National Bank of Schwenksville Schwenksville | 5 000 |
| National Bank of Sayre Sayre | 8 000 |
| North Scranton Bank Scranton | 15 000 |
| National Bank of West Grove West Grove | 15 000 |
| Northwestern Trust Co Phila | 7 000 |
| Natl Bank of Boyertown Boyertown | 5 000 |
| Peoples National Bank East Brady | 15 000 |
| Peoples Bank Hanover | 10 000 |
| Peoples National Bank Lancaster | 10 000 |
| Peoples National Bank Lebanon | 10 000 |
| Peoples Bank McKeesport | 25 000 |
| Pittsburgh Trust Company, Pittsburgh | 40 000 |
| Provident Trust Company Pittsburgh (North Side) | 27 000 |
| Philadelphia Trust Safe Deposit and Insurance Co Philadelphia | 25 000 |
| Plymouth National Bank Plymouth | 10 0 0 |
| Punxsutawney National Bank Punxsutawney | 10 000 |
| Peoples Union Savings Bank, Pittston | 15 0 0 |
| Real Estate Trust Co, Pittsburgh | 40 000 |
| Reading National Bank Reading | 10 000 |
| State Bank of Dravosburg | 5 000 |
| State Bank of Elizabeth Elizabeth | 10 000 |
| Safe Deposit and Trust Company Greensburg | 25 000 |
| Savings and Trust Company Indiana | 15 000 |
| Second National Bank Pittsburgh | 20 000 |
| Schuylkill Trust Company Pottsville | 8 000 |
| Schuylkill Valley Bank Reading | 5 000 |
| Scranton Savings Bank Scranton | 10 000 |
| Third National Bank Philadelphia | 25 000 |
| Union Bank Altoona | 10 000 |
| Union Banking and Trust Company DuBois | 10 000 |
| United States National Bank Johnstown | 10 000 |
| Union Trust Company Lancaster | 12 000 |
| Union National Bank Mt Joy | 10 000 |
| Union National Bank Scranton | 8 000 |
| Valley Trust Company Palmyra | 20 000 |
| Vandergrift Savings and Trust Company Vandergrift | 10 000 |
| Wayne County Savings Bank Honesdale | 20 000 |
| Western National Bank Philadelphia | 15 000 |
| West Branch National Bank, Williamsport | 12 000 |
| Farmers and Mechanics National Bank Philadelphia | 30 760 25 |

Total amount in Sinking Fund $2 429 760 25

The above statement includes the names of all banks corporations and firms with whom the moneys of said fund are deposited.

Bonds are held by the State for the safe keeping of the same.

Interest at the rate of 2 per centum per annum is received by the State on such deposits.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,
City of Harrisburg ss

Personally appeared before me R K Young, Auditor General John O Sheatz State Treasurer who being duly sworn according to law saith that the foregoing statement is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 29th day of April 1910.

JOHN O SHEATZ. State Treasurer.

R K YOUNG
Auditor General

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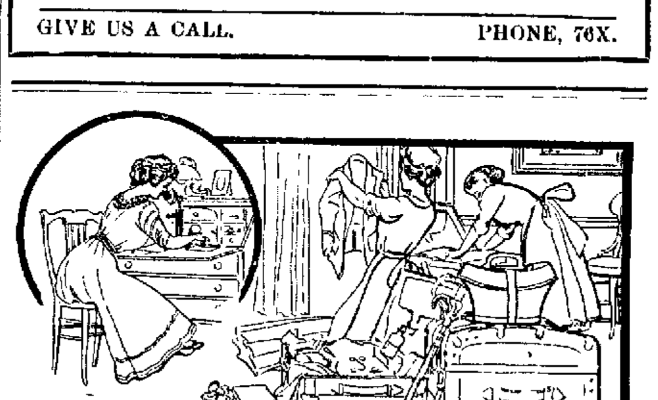

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The Bucks County Gaz

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Hereafter the grocery stores of Bri tol will be closed on Wednesday aft noons until October

Six adults were received into me bership at the First Baptist Chur last Sunday morning.

A two weeks' mission by the D minican Fathers will begin in S Marks Church on Sunday.

John Shire, Jr., aged seven yea is ill at his parents home, 607 Po street, with typhoid fever

Miss Martha O Leech is spendi a week at St Davids with Mr a Mrs George A Shoemaker

Miss Adelaide Ardrey, of Olne was the guest of her sister, Mi Annie Ardrey, for several days.

Miss Agnes Mason, of Philadelphi was entertained by Mrs Malpas Ardrey from Saturday until Monday

The Halley comet was seen yeste day morning at 3 1- by Miss Ma King, one of the public school teach ers.

The Alumni Association of the Bri tol High School will give a dance i Pythian Hall next Wednesday eve ing.

Theodore Watson was sentenced o Saturday by 'Squire Kraft to fifte days in the county jail for disorderl conduct.

Don't forget the strawberry festiv tomorrow evening at the First Bapti Church Tickets, including refresh ments, fifteen cents

Mrs Emma R DeWitt, the Pon street florist, has an abundance c beautiful white carnations for Sunda - Mother's Day

Miss Lucy Vothis, of Washingto street, will go to Asbury Park ne week where she has received a pos tion for the summer

The Bannister estate has just fi ished a handsome monument to e erected in memory of the late Ralp Stover at the Bristol Cemetery

Mother's Day will be observed i the Methodist Church on Sunday Wear a white carnation for the be mother that ever lived your own

William Duncan, a farmer, age seventy years, died at his home i Bensalem township on Wednesda afternoon of cancer of the stomach.

The $5 00 gold piece chance off 1 the Bristol Junior base ball team wa won by Otto Jameson, 628 Bat street The winning number was 6;

Dr Abbott, chairman of the sani tary committee of council, will re ceive bids for the removal of garbag for one year. Bids must be in b May 11

Of a herd of 24 fine cows belongin to Joseph R Grundy at the Walnu Grove Farm ten were condemned o Tuesday as being affected with tuber culosis.

On Saturday afternoon the risto Juniors will cross bats with the Lang horne team. Game starts at 3 o'clock The Juniors will be attired in ne uniforms

A rummage sale for the benefit c the First Baptist Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 30 o'clock a the home of Mrs Decker, 824 Rad cliffe street.

The German Lutheran Sunda school will commence its summer ses sions on Sunday, commencing here after at 8 30 a m Evening servic at 7 o'clock

Francis Abbott, of Bristol, and hi brother, Dr C C Abbott, of Tren ton, sail tomorrow morning from Ne York on the steamer Finland for a so journ in Europe

The Mite Society of the First Bap tist Church will hold a bread, pi and cake sale at the home of Mrs F Minster, 520 Bath street on Saturday May 21, at eleven o clock

Last Saturday morning Harry Pfeiffer caught his hand in the gea wheel of one of the color mixing ma chines at the wall paper mill an crushed three of his fingers

John N. Degroot has let the con tract to his son, William F Degroot, for the erection of eight 6-room, 2 story brick houses on Lincoln avenue, between Wood and Pond streets

Miss Marie Minster, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Frank Minster, cele brated her birthday anniversary las Saturday evening by entertaining a number of friends at her home on Mulberry street

If you are a lover of fine music you will no doubt enjoy the dance to b given for the benefit of Our Lady of Grace Church of Eden, in St Marks Hall this evening Hickey's orchestra will render the music.

A number of Philadelphia friends of Rev M. A Bradley will give a euchre for the benefit of St Marks Church at the Bellevue Stratford on Friday evening, May 27 It is ex pected that a large number from Bristol will attend

A play "The Champion of Her Sex," will be given tomorrow evening by the Girls' Friendly Society of St. Pauls parish in the parish building at eight o'clock Tickets, ten cents There will also be a sale of cakes, pies, bread and ice cream.

At the annual meeting of the Girls' Friendly Society last week at Holy Trinity, Philadelphia, the collection for the Holiday House at Cape May amounted to $243 25 Miss Gilkeson, Miss Frances Landreth and Mrs A. Weir Gilkeson, of Bristol, attended the meeting

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## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Hereafter the grocery stores of Bristol will be closed on Wednesday afternoons until October.

Six adults were received into membership at the First Baptist Church last Sunday morning.

A two weeks' mission by the Dominican Fathers will begin in St. Marks Church on Sunday.

John Shire, Jr., aged seven years, is ill at his parents' home, 607 Pond street, with typhoid fever.

Miss Martha O. Leech is spending a week at St. Davids with Mr and Mrs. George A. Shoemaker.

Miss Adelaide Ardrey, of Olney, was the guest of her sister, Miss Annie Ardrey, for several days.

Miss Agnes Mason, of Philadelphia, was entertained by Mrs. Maude I. Ardrey from Saturday until Monday.

The Halley comet was seen yesterday morning at 3.15 by Miss Mary King, one of the public school teachers.

The Alumni Association of the Bristol High School will give a dance in Pythian Hall next Wednesday evening.

Theodore Watson was sentenced on Saturday by 'Squire Kraft to fifteen days in the county jail for disorderly conduct.

Don't forget the strawberry festival tomorrow evening at the First Baptist Church. Tickets, including refreshments, fifteen cents.

Mrs. Emma R. DeWitt, the Pond street florist, has an abundance of beautiful white carnations for Sunday—Mother's Day.

Miss Lucy Vorhis, of Washington street, will go to Asbury Park next week, where she has received a position for the summer.

The Bannister estate has just finished a handsome monument to be erected in memory of the late Ralph Stover at the Bristol Cemetery.

Mother's Day will be observed in the Methodist Church on Sunday. Wear a white carnation for the best mother that ever lived—your own

William Duncan, a farmer, aged seventy years, died at his home in Bensalem township on Wednesday afternoon of cancer of the stomach.

The $5.00 gold piece chanced off by the Bristol Junior baseball team was won by Otto Terneson, 628 Bath street. The winning number was 52.

Dr. Abbott, chairman of the Sanitary committee of council, will receive bids for the removal of garbage, for one year. Bids must be in by May 11.

Of a herd of 24 fine cows belonging to Joseph R. Grundy at the Walnut Grove farm, ten were condemned on Tuesday as being affected with tuberculosis.

On Saturday afternoon the Bristol Juniors will cross bats with the Langhorne team. Game starts at 3 o'clock. The Juniors will be attired in new uniforms.

A rummage sale for the benefit of the First Baptist Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Decker, 824 Radcliffe street.

The German Lutheran Sunday school will commence its summer sessions on Sunday, commencing hereafter at 8.30 a. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

Francis Abbott, of Bristol, and his brother, Dr. C. C. Abbott, of Trenton, sail tomorrow morning from New York on the steamer Finland for a sojourn in Europe.

The Mite Society of the First Baptist Church will hold a bread, pie and cake sale at the home of Mrs. E. Minster, 526 Bath street on Saturday, May 21, at eleven o'clock.

Last Saturday morning Harry Pfeiffer caught his hand in the gear wheel of one of the color-mixing machines at the wall paper mill and crushed three of his fingers.

John N. Degroot has let the contract to his son, William E. Degroot, for the erection of eight 6-room, 2-story brick houses on Lincoln avenue, between Wood and Pond streets.

Miss Marie Minster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Minster, celebrated her birthday anniversary last Saturday evening by entertaining a number of friends at her home on Mulberry street.

If you are a lover of fine music you will no doubt enjoy the dance to be given for the benefit of Our Lady of Grace Church of Eden, in St. Marks Hall this evening. Hickey's orchestra will render the music.

A number of Philadelphia friends of Rev. M. A. Bradley will give a euchre for the benefit of St. Marks Church at the Bellevue-Stratford on Friday evening, May 27. It is expected that a large number from Bristol will attend.

A play, "The Champion of Her Sex," will be given tomorrow evening by the Girls' Friendly Society of St. Pauls parish in the parish building at eight o'clock. Tickets, ten cents. There will also be a sale of cakes, pies, bread and ice cream.

At the annual meeting of the Girls' Friendly Society last week at Holy Trinity, Philadelphia, the collection for the Holiday House at Cape May amounted to $243.25. Miss Gilkeson, Miss Frances Landreth and Mrs. A. Weir Gilkeson, of Bristol, attended the meeting.

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## ARTESIAN ICE CO.'S BIG ENTERPRISE

### Most Complete Plant in the Country. To Make Ice Cream and Snowflake on Large Scale and Pasteurize Milk. To Open Coal Yards.

The new plant of the Artesian Ice Company is nearly completed and about ready to commence the manufacture of artificial ice. Fires were lighted in the huge boilers yesterday and the engines, pumps, piping and machinery are now being tested.

A representative of the Gazette on Wednesday was courteously conducted throughout the plant by President E. W. Minster, of the company, and every detail of the new manufacturing enterprise was thoroughly explained. There is no doubt resting in the writer's mind but that the plant is one of the most complete and practical in the United States. No money has been spared on the erection of the building nor in the selection of the machinery and equipment. The very latest models in engines, boilers, machinery and labor-saving devices have been purchased and the latest ideas employed in construction.

The plant will have an ice-making capacity of fifty tons per day, but ice making, while the principal business of the company, will not be the only product. President Minster conducted the scribe to the section of the plant where ice cream will be manufactured on an extensive scale at a fraction of the cost incurred by ordinary manufacturers. The same brine used to make the ice is turned to the ice cream making machines. As soon as the cream is made it is put into the cold storage vaults which will maintain a temperature of ten degrees above zero. No ice is used to freeze or keep the cream, the cold storage houses, and the cream making machines all getting their freezing qualities from the brine used in making ice.

Another branch of the business will be the pasteurizing of milk, which will be done on an extensive scale under the direction of a college instructor who has been engaged at a high salary to take charge of that branch of the business. The necessary devices for sterilizing the milk bottles have also been purchased. After the milk is pasteurized it is automatically filled into sterilized bottles. Snow flake, or "cream flake" as it will be called, will also be manufactured on an extensive scale.

Another branch of the business which will be added this fall or next spring, according to President Minster, will be the erection of coal wharves along the canal front and big overhead coal shutes will be built, and the coal business will be inaugurated on a large scale, and also building materials, lime, cement, etc., may be added as a side line.

Mr. Minster says he has unlimited capital behind him and he is going to do the thing right.

### The Proposed Station.

Editor Gazette:—To place the new railroad passenger station at Beaver Dam Road and Washington street which Grundy now claims is clinched, will in the future, prove to be an unpardonable error to Bristol. The Beaver Dam Road advocates claim that location to be the geographical centre of Bristol. This is not correct. Geographically the centre of Bristol is Race street, as formerly advocated by the late B. F. Gilkeson.

Bath street is the only logical place for a depot in Bristol. Illuminated with arc and incandescent lights, thickly populated to railroad line and with trolley service thereon and advocated by 123 business men in a petition to President James McCrea, it is the ideal location. The petition was opposed by eight mill owners, led by Mr. Grundy. Only two of these firms reside in our town, yet these eight men attempt to dictate where our wives and daughters shall embark after night from trains.

Bristol welcomes all manufacturers to our town. They are an important factor and we encourage them in many ways, by omitting their taxes for ten years, building good streets in their midst, etc. Yet the 123 business men who petitioned the railroad for Bath street are likewise an important factor, residing here and assisting to make the town what it is today.

They say Beaver Dam Road is to be made a boulevard, widened, lit with arc lights, etc. Who keeps this up? The taxpayers. Think of the east side people crossing a network of tracks where drilling engines will be constantly at work, then passing through the mill district, crossing the canal by draw bridges, which are open much of the time, thereby impeding traffic. You miss your train, only allowing one or two extra minutes. Then will the public see the unpardonable mistake of Mr. Grundy and the railroad company. Overhead bridges were abandoned at Bristol station years ago as being impractical.

One of these mill owners was honest enough to say the matter of the station was a purely selfish one on his part, as all he wanted was to have the depot as near his mill as possible.

At the hearing by railroad officials, Mr. Abercrombie said there would be more drilling after the passenger tracks were removed than at present and that they would not allow any trolley to cross at grades. At Bath and Mill streets permisson to cross by trolley is given, only one freight track to remain there and practically no drilling thereon. Both trolley companies advocated Bath street, saying they would be glad to loop the town from Bath street, making it easy of access to all parts of Bristol.

Look at the country people who now leave their teams at the Closson House and Fine's hotel to take trains. Where are there any such accommodations at Beaver Road? The First ward and Third ward are almost a unit for Bath street. The First ward, I am told, pays over a third of the borough taxes, say nothing about the Third and half of the Fourth ward, which also advocates Bath street. Yet all this is to be ignored to please one politician.

The medium class people should be considered, as they do not have $5000 automobiles to convey them to a depot located in an inaccessable district, when a nickel would convey all to Bath street who did not care to walk.

WALTER F. LEEDOM.

### Death of Gertrude Fenimore Lycett.

Mrs. Gertrude Fenimore Lycett, wife of Herbert J. Lycett and daughter of the late Francis Fenimore, formerly of Bristol, died at her home in Republic, Washington, April 29. The remains were shipped from the far western mining town and the funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon, May 7, at five o'clock, at the Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr. The deceased, as a young lady, was well known in Bristol, having resided here for a number of years with her parents, both of whom are now deceased. She was of a kind and sweet disposition and had a host of friends who are deeply grieved at her untimely death. She was married a few years ago to Mr. Lycett, a mining engineer, and went to Republic, away up near the British Columbia line to seek fame and fortune. She is survived by one sister and brother, Miss Emily Fenimore and Jason Fenimore.

### Entertainments at Cornwells.

A concert for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Eddington Presbyterian Church will be given tomorrow evening, May 7th, in P. O. S. of A. hall, Cornwells, at eight o'clock. A splendid programme has been arranged. Tickets, 25 cents.

Complete arrangements have been made toward making a great success of the euchre and promenade to be held this evening in the Cornwells hall for the benefit of St. Charles Church. Fifty valuable prizes will be awarded, among them being a fine Waltham gold watch and beautiful cut glass dishes. Assignments to tables at 8.30 p. m. An enlarged orchestra will be in attendance. Cards of admission, 50 cents.

### Bristol Bank Dividend.

The board of directors of the Farmers National Bank of Bucks County, on Tuesday declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 8 per cent. and added $5,000 to the surplus fund, making that fund $210,000.

### Engagement Announced.

Mrs. N. Cannon, 50 Pennington street, Newark, N. J., announces the engagement of her daughter, Madeline M. Cannon, to George P. Gillingham, of 7 Hillside avenue, Newark. Both were formerly of Bristol.

### To Repair Otter Street.

The Street committee of Bristol Council is making preparations to make the long needed repairs to Otter street. The Trenton, Bristol and Philadelphia Trolley Company proposes to renew its road-bed and pave between the rails and two feet outside the rails, while the borough will resurface the remaining portions of the street. The property owners will be required to fix up their gutters and curbs.

### To Extend Buckley Street.

Arrangements have been completed by officials of the borough and interested property owners to extend Buckley street from its present terminus at the Beaver Dam road to Washington street. The proposed extension will be of great service especially in view of the new embankment of the elevated Pennsylvania railroad line, opening up a line of travel from the Second and Fifth wards to the Third and Fourth wards.

### Sectional Meeting in Bristol.

Lower Bucks Clinical Society will meet in Dr. Pursell's office, Bristol, on Thursday, May 19th, at 2.30 p. m. Programme: "Active and Passive Congestion of Kidney," Dr. Wareham. "Acute Parenchymatous Nephritis," Dr. Fleckenstine; "Chronic Parenchymatous Nephritis," Dr. Basset. "Acute Interstitial Nephritis," Dr. Ridge; "Chronic Interstitial Nephritis," Dr. Abbott; "Amyloid Kidney," Dr. Osborne.

### Crescents to Open Season.

Saturday the Crescents will open the season with the Harlan F. C., of Frankford, on the Corson street grounds. The Crescents have been practicing and are in fine shape. McIlvain and McNichol, the star battery, will be on hand and the rooters can expect some classy work from this pair. The other players are equally fast and a great game may be expected. The game is called for 3.30 p. m. Come and root for your home team.

### Upset in the River.

Harry J. Arnold, Jr., and Miss Esther Daniels had a narrow escape from drowning last Saturday afternoon, and as it was, both got a ducking in the cold water of the Delaware river. As the young couple were lazily paddling along in a canoe, opposite the steamboat wharf, one of the steamers gave a sudden blast of the whistle which startled Miss Daniels and caused her to make a movement which turned over the frail craft, precipitating both into the water. Both displayed remarkable calmness, however, and got hold of the upturned canoe and waited until a rescue party arrived in a row boat, and took them ashore with clothes dripping and teeth chattering.

### Junior C. E. Entertainment.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Bristol Presbyterian Church, under the direction of Mrs. Annie Groom gave an interesting entertainment on Saturday evening before a large audience. The principal feature of the programme was a cantata entitled, "Mother Merry Heart."

The programme was as follows:

Piano duet, Gertrude Lefferts and Clara King; recitation, "From a Far Country," Miss Elva Vanarsdale; vocal solo, "Hush a Bye, Baby," Gladys Renk; reading, selected, Miss Elva Vanarsdale; vocal solo, "I'm Lillie Buttercup," Mildred Lynn; Cantata, "Mother Merry Heart," Mother Merry Heart, Lillian Brown; Charlie, Erwin Horn; Teetotal Tommy, Bradley Ardrey; Jolly Jack, Leslie Whitaker; Prohibition Polly, Mary McCoy; Brave Betty, Gladys Renk; Hop Sing Choo, Lester Thorne; Saucy Sambo, Harold Vandegrift; Fat Fritz, Johnston Hetherington; Lean Pat, Harold Hetherington; Baby Bunting, Elizabeth Thorne; Queen of Water Sprites, Mildred Silbert; King of Wood Nixies, Franklin Smith; pianist, Miss Helen Webb; cornetist, James Lefferts; Nicolene boys, water sprites, wood nixies and sun bonnet girls.

### Death in Long-lived Family.

Mrs. Catharine L. Howell, widow of the late Amos Howell and daughter of the late Daniel and Elizabeth LaRue, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Brown, near Emilie, East Bristol township, on Sunday morning. Death was due to cerebral apoplexy. The deceased was in her 90th year. The funeral, which took place on Wednesday was largely attended. Interment at the Emilie grave yard.

Mrs. Howell belonged to a family that was exceptionally noted for its longevity, most of them living to be ninety years or over. Her parents, Daniel and Elizabeth (Vandegrift) LaRue, died at the ages of 70 and 94 years respectively.

The eleven children of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel LaRue all reached the age of four score years and over, as follows: Sarah Biles, died in Baltimore, over 90; William died in New Jersey, over 90 John died on his farm near Emilie, over 90; Mary Burton, near Tullytown, 87; Moses, at his home in Philadelphia, 90; Caroline English, in Trenton, over 90. Elizabeth Hellings, near Edgely, 94; Susan Hellings, now living in Bristol, 92, and Catharine Howell, just deceased, in 90th year.

### C. Wesley Milnor Honored.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wesley Milnor entertained a number of their friends at their residence on Mulberry street, Bristol, on Saturday evening, April 23rd. The event was in honor of Mr. Milnor's seventieth birthday anniversary. The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing different games and social intercourse.

Mr. Milnor has been employed in the baggage department of the Pennsylvania railroad for forty-one years, having entered the service on June 14th, 1869. His genial disposition and willingness to work soon won for him the good will of his employers and for several years before his retirement last Saturday he held the responsible position as cashier in the baggage department at Broad Street Station.

It is very interesting to hear Mr. Milnor relate some of his experiences, which happened while he has been on duty, during the Centennial, Bi-Centennial and other large demonstrations which have been held in Philadelphia. He kept faithfully at his post and during all those years he has never been called before to face his superior officers on any complaint, big or little, a record any man should feed proud of.

A pretty little incident took place in his office just before he left for his home last Saturday afternoon. All the men in his department, headed by John L. Johnson, came in and in a neat little speech by Mr. Johnson, Mr. Milnor was presented with a handsome solid gold Masonic emblem and watch chain. Although overcome with emotion Mr. Milnor responded in his usual happy manner, thanking the men for their beautiful gift and their kind remembrance.

At a very late hour Saturday evening the guests sat down to a table at his home, filled with everything that is good for the inner man to have. After wishing their host many happy returns of the day, all returned to their homes, voting it one of the most pleasant evenings.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Wesley Milnor, Alvin Milnor, Mr. and Mrs. Headley King, Edward Barton, Miss Laura Barton, Charles Tarpey, Mrs. S. Tolin, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Gehrett, Mr. and Mrs. George Callanan, Mr. and Mrs. George Vanzant, Miss Mary Lippincott, Miss Sara M. Hawke, Mrs. Jennie Worthington, Mrs. Rilla Hunter, J. W. Sipler, James Guy and Frank Horn.

## ROLLING MILL IN RECEIVERS' HANDS

### The Bristol Iron & Steel Company is Involved with the Steel Products Co.

Judge Lanning, in the United States Circuit Court, on Monday appointed W. Vernon Phillips and Jacob M. Shenk, receivers of the Iron and Steel Products Company and fixed their security at $75,000.

The company incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, is a $2,000,000 concern and operates five steel plants—the Bristol Iron and Steel, at Bristol; Canton Iron and Steel, in Baltimore; Lebanon Chain Works, in Lebanon; Holidaysburg Nail and Iron Company, in Holidaysburg, and the West End Iron Company, in Philadelphia.

In asking for the appointment of the receivers George L. Plitt and Howard M. Plitt, trading as Plitt & Co., and Eli Attwood, stockholders and creditors of the company, set out that if injunction proceedings, which have been brought in other States, are to be allowed to be enforced it will mean that the company will be put out of business altogether.

Injunction proceedings were started in the Maryland Courts to restrain the operation of the Canton plant, with the result that it was closed down, and business stopped. The complaint of Plitt & Co. and Attwood, which is a stockholders' and creditors' bill, avers that if such proceedings are begun and injunctions issued, all the plants will be closed, with the ultimate result that the company will be forced to the wall. If the receivers are appointed, the complainants set out, there were greater possibilities of conducting the business, and it would also materially aid the company in collecting outstanding bills. Since the proceedings in the Maryland Courts, the bill says, railroads have refused permission to the company to run an account in the transportation of its product.

The Bristol plant has been shut down for several weeks.

### A Religion of "Doing."

Editor Gazette:—I heard a woman exclaim "Wonderful!" on last Sunday, as I was leaving the Baptist Church, where three hundred and fifty women gathered and listened to an inspiring address by Prof. Francis Green, of the State Normal School and to some soul-stirring music.

To this adjective one might add many more and then not impart all that the service was and meant.

We, who were there, will not soon forget it or fail to be thankful to the pastor of the church who was good enough not to have forgotten the women, while thinking so incessantly of the men. I'm particularly thankful I was there, for it was to me a contrastingly interesting comparison to a discourse I heard in the morning. Both addresses were practically along the same line of thought. The preacher of the morning very glowingly commended the attitude of "Mary" as a "sitter" at the Master's feet while "Martha" had the reproach because she was more concerned about "doing." I may be allowed to add here that it must be the natural supposition that Martha necessarily sat "at the Master's feet" before she caught the inspiration to "do" for Him.

I'm not a theologian, but I shall never believe that any words of our Divine Lord were intended to lay more emphasis of commendation on the "sitters" than on the "doers." His life and words and works, teach us the very opposite!

"Not everyone that saith Lord, Lord, shall enter in; but he that doeth;" "I must work the works of Him that sent me;" "What doth it profit thee if ye have faith and have not works;" "Faith without works availeth nothing."

The "Marys" of life, be they feminine or masculine, are the failures of today who block the progress of all those with whom they come in contact! We are part of a world that is undergoing a constant revolution, and if we want this world to come out right side up, we must be "doers."

The thought came to me as I compared the two discourses: Did Jesus Christ live and die to impress men with an overcoming sense of their worthlessness, or did He seek to imbue them with a sense of their useful place as sons of God; as instruments of the Almighty in perfecting the plans by Him mapped out for the betterment of the race through "DOING," from the limitations imposed by our humanity?

Does the energetic, active person count?

These are questions which might be seriously considered, because they point toward the vital question, "Is the church today counting as it should?" Is the church, as a whole, really helping men and women to meet and solve the problems born of our material and mental advance during the last half century? Will it ever help if it insists upon faith as the sole requirement?

To the credit of many a pulpit, be it said, that this doctrine is not drilled into men and women as once it was. Many a pulpit today exerts a beneficent and helpful influence because its preaching is based upon human needs here and now, and not upon the possibilities of some future state. Many a city or country church is proving itself of real use and value to its community by "DOING" for that community; by bettering the surroundings and the physical conditions of men and women and supplying their present needs in some degree. And every church doing this is prospering as an uplifting agency, which is bound to appeal to men's souls through their humanity; or, if you please, through their sense of being.

It is a waste of space, however, to ask whether the active man or woman counts. With every sane individual they count. With every institution, commercial or philanthropic, they count. From every walk of life, from every center of humanity, the call is for them. The world no longer bases its acceptance of a man upon his personal belief, or profession, but upon his work and his character. And while it is utterly foolish to rest any contention upon a text from the Bible, it is undoubtedly the opinion of most persons that "Not every one that saith unto me, 'Lord Lord,' shall enter into the Kingdom of Heaven, but he that "Doeth."

All I desire to say to the preachment of Mr. Green's on last Sunday and to his closing words of "Whatsoever he bids thee do, do it," is Amen, And again, Amen! L. H. T.

### Mothers Entertain Teachers.

A very pleasant affair took place yesterday afternoon in the Bristol high school assembly room when the mothers of Bristol were the hosts and entertained the Superintendent and teachers of the borough public schools.

The teachers added to the pleasure of the occasion by having some of their classes contribute to the programme. Miss McNally's school gave an exhibition of physical culture exercises, and Miss Wettling's classes rendered vocal music. A paper "How to be a Good Mother," was read by Mrs. R. T. Myers, and Mrs. F. King told of "Bed Time Horrors." After a discussion of these topics, Miss Baggs read some letters written by Bath street scholars. A social hour followed, which was much appreciated by those present. Seventy-five nice cups and saucers were presented the teachers by the mothers to be used upon similar occasions.

The teachers wish to thank the mothers for their kindness in making the presentations and also to make acknowledgment of appreciation of the interest taken by the parents in school affairs.

A new directory for Bucks county is in course of preparation. Watch for the advertising man. No connection with old publication. The new book will be published by a Philadelphia firm with up-to-date ideas.

## PRESIDENT McCREA SETTLES ALL DOUBT

President McCrea, of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, has settled all doubt as to the location of the proposed new passenger station at Bristol on the line of the elevated tracks.

In response to a letter written by Walter F. Leedom, President McCrea stated that the location of the station would be in the vicinity of the Beaver Dam road. The decision to have the station located there, Mr. McCrea stated, "was reached and determined upon entirely with a view to suiting the public convenience." The letter further states, "the subject has received careful consideration by officers of the company and as Beaver Dam road is a diagonal road, it will be the best in serving the town, and as an overhead bridge is placed so that the station can be reached from all parts of the community without danger, this point was recommended as the most available location and one that will give the most general satisfaction."

## LOCAL POLITICS.

There is a new Richmond in the political field this week, George Ross, Esq., of Doylestown, being reported to have shied his castor into the ring to contest with Jacob M. Winder, of Bristol, for the honor of the Democratic State Senatorial nomination. The latter, however, did not seem much disturbed by the announcement. He declared this is a bad year for lawyers, as there is a blight which will effect the candidacies of the exponents of Blackstone. Mr. Winder prides himself on being a farmer, and like Joseph R. Grundy, the Republican leader, owns a beautiful farm in West Bristol township, almost within hailing distance of the Grundy farm.

Mr. Ross is a very popular young man, a good lawyer and eminently qualified for the position he seeks. He is well known in baseball circles and for a long time was first baseman on the Doylestown team. The owner of the world's fastest pacer, however, apparantly fears him not.

The friends of Lemuel Vandegritt, of Bensalem township, have been urging him to seek the Assembly nomination at the Democratic primaries. Thomas Candy, of Langhorne, has also been mentioned.

It was learned last night that Lemuel Vandegrift has decided to enter the Assembly contest, and has circulated his petition for signatures.

William G. Huey, a banker and broker, residing in Lower Merion township, Montgomery county, has announced his candidacy for Congress and has circulated his petition to go before the primaries.

The primary election which will take place on Saturday, June 4, promises to develop some lively contests, as there are a number of opposing candidates. For the Republican State Senatorial nomination there are two candidates in the field, Clarence J. Buckman, of Middletown, and Ezra Carroll, of Warwick township. For the lower end Republican Assembly nomination, Franklin Gilkeson, of Bristol, and Orin Smith, of Wycombe, are entered and for the upper end nomination, Isaac Clymer, of Sellersville, and John F. Ball, of Quakertown, have obtained the necessary signatures to their petitions.

With contests on also in the Democratic primaries, the prospects do not portend a listless campaign.

### Bristol Township Affairs.

Editor Gazette: Herewith inclosed please find financial statement of Bristol township for the year ending March 1, 1910, which we, a committee of Bristol township taxpayers, wish to have advertised in the Gazette. Send us the bill and we will pay for it. We understand that the statement was given by the supervisor to another Bristol paper, but as none of the taxpayers in the township have seen it, we want it in the Gazette for the benefit of the farmers who take your paper and we are willing to pay for it out of our own pockets.

We certainly are feeling the burden of heavy increased taxation and what do we get for it? Our township was bonded for $50,000 for stone roads. Last year it cost the taxpayers $2,760.77 for repairs to these stone highways, $2,052.83 for tarvia and freight for these same roads, and it will be noticed there is a bill against the township for $1,297.37 money owed to Joseph R. Grundy for the use of his stone roller to roll the tarvia.

To the best of our knowledge this roller was used less than two months and yet its use cost us over twelve hundred dollars.

We paid last year nearly two thousand dollars tax and interest on bonds for these stone roads and owe the State over six thousand dollars for the Tullytown stone road.

Oh! what a blessing these stone roads are for the farmers and automobilists! Eight thousand dollars it cost us last year for maintenance of these stone roads, and these roads are as bad now as they were before the money was spent.

By reference to the statement, which we want our tax payers to see, it will also be observed that the supervisors owe the Bristol bank $3,500 for borrowed money and among our assets is one stone crusher valued at $1,700!

What we would like to know where is that $1700 stone crusher. We have been unable to locate it, but it was rumored that a West Bristol township farmer was using the boiler to run a saw mill, but we find no report in the statement of the township receiving any rental. Where the crusher is no body seems to know.

Our township (the east end) is being rapidly built up with big manufactures—a million dollar pipe foundry is in operation and a big leather works, employing hundreds of hands, have been built, and rows of new houses built by the foundry company and yet the total valuation is but $100,000 more than it was two years ago.

Mr. Editor, we want this financial statement published in your paper; it looks like a scheme of the politicians to keep the information from the tax payers. Let us study this statement.

COMMITTEE
Representing Bristol Twp. Taxpayers.

### Public School Notes.

The Swastika Society of the High School gave their last public meeting for this year on Thursday evening, April 28th. The room was well filled with the friends of the high school pupils. The programme consisted of the regular minutes of the society, the reading of the Scrap Book, by Bernard W. Wilson. This was much enjoyed, especially the personal items which were jokes on the various members. Louise Cooper rendered a piano solo very acceptably and Ellwood Watt gave a vocal solo. A very bright little play, "The Minister's Wife," was given by several of the pupils. The programme as a whole was interesting and entertaining.

A parents' and teachers' meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, May 17th, in the Jefferson avenue building. John W. Moyer, of the Northeast Manual Training School, of Philadelphia, will be the speaker.

On Tuesday, May 10, at 8 p. m., will be given the musical at Jefferson avenue school building. The following fine programme is promised:

Violin solo, Miss Edith Wood.
Vocal solo, "Beautiful Land of Nod," Mrs. Bevan.
Vocal solo, "Spring Flowers, Miss Evelyn Connor, accompanied by Frank Connor, Jr.
Piano solos, Miss Laura King.
Vocal solo, "Little Boy Blue," B. Frank Connor.
Readings, Miss Reba Atkin.
Violin solo, Miss Edith Wood.

The orchestra will play at the beginning and close of the programme.

The following grades made high per cent. attendance for April: High school, 96; 8th grade, Bath street, 96; 2nd grade, Bath street, 94; 9th grade, 93; 7th grade, Bath street, 93; 3rd grade, Bath street, 91; 1st grade, Washington street, 91; 8th grade, Jefferson avenue, 91; 7th grade, Jefferson avenue, 91; 6th grade, Jefferson avenue, 91; 5th grade, Jefferson avenue, 90.

## COMMITTEE TO ADVISE TAX RATE

### School Board Treasurer Authorized to Borrow $3,500. Restrictions Placed on Use of Building.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Bristol School Board held on Wednesday evening, President Leech appointed the following special finance committee to approximate the expenses of the next school term, beginning June 1st and to recommend a tax rate that would produce sufficient revenue to meet the anticipated expenditure: Doron Green, David O. Taylor, Dr. W. C. LeCompte, Eugene Barrett and William V. Leech.

The treasurer, Edward H. Foster, stated that there was not enough money in the treasury to pay the salaries and that the Board would have to negotiate a loan. He said there was $1000 in the sinking fund that could be taken for temporary use. The treasurer was authorized to borrow $3,500 from the bank.

All the members were present except Messrs. Squier, Boyle, Coyle, Barrett and Rue. Doron Green was chosen secretary pro tem.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The treasurer reported that all orders drawn last meeting, amounting to $1,745 had been paid. The sum of $28.50 was received for tuition of non-residents, and $656.48 from the tax collector. The funds in the general account amounted to $1,524.04 and in the bond account, $2,804, there being insufficient money on hand to pay the current bills and salaries.

INSURANCE PLACED.

The Property committee reported that an insurance policy on the Jefferson avenue school building had been placed with the Fire Association of Philadelphia, for one year, for $15,000, the premium amounting to $37.50.

DIPHTHERIA CASES.

Two cases of diphtheria were reported at the Jefferson avenue school, one each in Miss Mansell's and Miss Beidleman's rooms. The rooms were thoroughly fumigated.

MORE COAL NEEDED.

The Supply committee reported that two tons of coal had to be purchased for the Jefferson avenue school building, the winter's supply having been exhausted.

BOOKS FOR LIBRARY.

The Library committee reported that thirty-two books had been purchased for the school library with the $100 given the committee by the board. One hundred and sixty-six volumes had been purchased, consisting of 61 volumes of historical and reference works, 26 girls' story books, 40 boys' story books and 29 miscellaneous at the total cost of $99.57.

TRUANT OFFICER'S REPORT.

The truant officer reported 34 cases of delinquents during the month which had received his attention, all of which had been settled satisfactorily.

MR. WANGER PRESENTED MAPS

Two large maps of the United States were received from Congressman Irving P. Wanger. The secretary was instructed to acknowledge the gift and convey the board's thanks to Mr. Wanger.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

The superintendent submitted the following report: Number pupils enrolled, 1058; greatest number present, 1034; least number present, 817; average attendance, 921; per cent. of attendance, 89; present every half day, 358; new pupils admitted, 14.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES.

A communication was received from H. Clay Beatty Post, G. A. R., inviting the superintendent, teachers and scholars of the grammar grade to participate in the annual Memorial Day exercises to be given by the post in the Methodist church.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

Tax Collector Fred I. Kraft made the following report of his collections for 1909-10: Total amount of duplicate, $20,173.56; collected first sixty days, and paid treasurer, $16,332.71; less a 5 per cent. discount for prompt payment, of $872.37; collector's commission, of 2 per cent., $233.32; gross collections first 60 days, $17,538.40. Delinquent balance, $2,652.16.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The treasurer was granted an order for $1750, to pay off two bonds and interest.

Bills to the amount of $567.60 were read and orders ordered drawn for their payment.

Orders were ordered drawn for the payment of the superintendent's, teachers' and janitors' salaries for the month of April.

The date for the regular meeting of the board to close the business for the fiscal year was fixed for May 18.

THE ALUMNI CRITICISED.

President Leech stated that complaint had been registered with the board over the misbehavior of the High School Alumni Association when occupying the director's room for meeting purposes. Janitor Smith was summoned before the board and stated that on the evenings when the Alumni Association met in the building, instead of confining themselves to the meeting room the members roamed over the building, went into the commercial course room, disturbed the typewriting machines, turned on the lights, rummaged through the teachers' desks and took their belongings, and took general possession of the building.

President Leech was indignant and declared if the association of graduates of the high school did not know how to behave themselves they would be denied all privileges of the building and upon his recommendation a resolution was adopted that no school society could have any use of the rooms without first obtaining the permission of the board or in the interim between board meetings permission must be obtained from the Property committee of which Mr. Green is chairman. The application for use of the school rooms must signify the date for which the room is wanted and for what purpose.

The meeting then adjourned.

### Girls May Day Frolic.

The spectacular and attractive May Day exercises of the Stevens School for girls, 221 Chelten avenue, Germantown, were given on Monday under the direction of Miss Florence King, of Bath Road, Bristol. The broad lawns about the school house, with low hanging branches of the trees, made a charming setting for the white gowned maidens, waving the many colored ribbons of the May pole as they tripped lightly about to the quaint old English May time music. In quick succession followed the Swedish folk dance by the seniors and juniors, the dancers wearing the dress of that people; hyacinth dance by the freshman class; very creditable Indian club drill by sturdy sophomores in white jumpers and blue skirts, running and games by the wee pupils of the primary department and a flag medley to the strains of "America," "Dixie," "The Star Spangled Banner" and other patriotic airs.

Everywhere floated the blue and gold banners and after the exercises the 135 pupils and their many friends were served with luncheon on the lawn.

### Charles Myers is Busy.

I am still working among the flower and vegetable plants. The 25 cedar posts are for sale at fifteen cents each. Get them before I put them away. I make gardens, take care of lawns, etc., by the hour. Leave your orders for vegetable plants the day before planting. CHARLES MYERS, 517 Pond street, Bristol.

### Feed Prices.

| | |
|---|---|
| Highest Grade Oats, | $ .55 |
| Cracked Corn, per hundred, | 1.50 |
| Bran, | 1.40 |

All feeds proportionately low.

W. F. LEEDOM.

### Notice.

THE Merchants and Mechanics Building Association of Bristol, Pa., will issue the twenty-third series of its capital stock on Tuesday, May 31st, 1910.

Application for stock should be made to JOHN C. STUCKERT, Secretary. 5-6-2t

### Farmers National Bank of Bucks Co.

Bristol, Pa., May 3, 1910.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of EIGHT PER CENT, payable on demand, clear of all taxes, and have added $5000 to the Surplus Fund making that fund now TWO HUNDRED AND TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

5-6-4t CHARLES E. SCOTT, Cashier.

### Eddington Property For Sale.

A double frame house, 10 rooms, heater in each cellar, acre of ground, garden, well of splendid water in the kitchen, fruit trees in yard. Also a frame tenant house with four rooms. For details and price apply to WILMER OTT, Eddington, Pa. 5-6-4t

### Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between John A. Dorsey and Franciscus Nocito, of Bristol, Pennsylvania, under the firm name of Dorsey & Nocito, retail grocers, was dissolved on the second day of May, 1910, by mutual consent. All debts owing to said partnership are receivable by said Franciscus Nocito, to whom all claims and demands against the same are to be presented for payment.

JOHN A. DORSEY,
FRANCISCUS NOCITO.
JOHN C. STUCKERT, Atty. 5-6-6t


## A Great Exhibition.

We are exhibiting this spring the largest and most complete line of

UNDERWEAR

ever made in the history of wearing apparel, the famous B. & D. make, you will find here in all styles. Long, short and sleeveless shirts. Drawers, long, medium and knee lengths. Genuine pepperell, gauze, balbriggan, mesh, pure Egyptian, nainsook, mercerized and silk garments. Athletic and union suits.

**Garments From 25 cents to $2.00.**

We always find it a pleasure to display our goods and appreciate a call at all times.

LEVINSON
THE TAILOR
And Gents' Furnisher.
231 Mill Street, - Bristol, Pa.


## FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF BRISTOL TOWNSHIP

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1910.

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount of Duplicate ... | $8,299 23 | |
| License fee ... | 00 00 | |
| Balance from last year | 778 40 | |
| Received from State | 600 00 | |
| Tax from 1908 ... | 68 48— | $9,700 11 |
| Exonerations, single and Tenants ... | $ 207 87 | |
| Exonerations, Lemington Land Association | 110 33 | |
| Rebate on Gaw's broad tire | 7 50 | |
| Abatement on Tax, June 1 | 30 00 | |
| Outstanding tax to be col | 175 37— | $ 631 01 |
| | | $9,145 10 |
| Balance due Treasurer ... | | 216 98 |
| | | $9,362 08 |

EXPENDITURES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Repairs to stone roads | $2,760 77 | |
| Repairs to dirt roads ... | 1,058 27 | |
| Shoveling snow | 581 68 | |
| Henry Baker, Roadmaster, 141 days | | |
| Frank B. Hampton, Roadmaster, 61 days | | |
| Frank R. Wright, Roadmaster, 66 1-2 days | | |
| Lumber | 128 54 | |
| Gravel cinders and pipes | 61 31 | |
| Printing and stationery | 95 48 | |
| Hardware & blacksmithing | 41 78 | |
| Tarvia and freight | 2,052 83 | |
| Overseer of Poor account | 131 20 | |
| Miscellaneous | 194 00 | |
| Tax and interest on bonds | 1,980 36 | |
| Balance paid the State | 33 63 | |
| Treasurer's commission | 182 90 | |
| House expenses for year | 30 00 | |
| Auditors and Town Clerk | 18 00— | |
| | | $9,362 08 |

WILLIAM B. LEIGH,
WILLIAM A. BOOZ,
JOHN C. HAMM,
Auditors.
JOHN W. FOSTER, Township Clerk.

INDEBTEDNESS OF TOWNSHIP

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bonds ... | $15,000 00— | |
| Note due Farmers National Bank ... | 3,500 00 | |
| Interest on above note | 175 00 | |
| Due Bristol Bor., stone | 212 00 | |
| Due William H. Grundy & Co., stone roller | 1,297 37 | |
| Due State of Pennsylvania on Bristol and Tullytown Road ... | 6,673 91 | |
| Actual indebtedness of Township ... | | $ 56,808 30 |
| The valuation of taxable property in said Twp. | | 1,103,780 00 |
| Stone crusher valued | | 1,700 00 |
| Road scraper | | 50 00 |
| Balance on bond acct., due March 7, 1910 | | 1,629 82 |

HUGH HILL,
HENRY C. LOVETT,
JOHN W. BIRKEY,
Supervisors.
JOHN W. FOSTER, Township Clerk.


## Snowflake.

The Snowflake Season is Here. Buy from the biggest manufacturer

G. W. JOHNSON
230 Otter Street, Bristol
Wholesale and Retail.

Made with pure Pocono Ice and the very best ingredients.

20 Cents per Quart.

Parties and excursions supplied.

Wagon out afternoons and evenings.

**For Sale at the following places:**

P. J. Callahan, Buckley street.
Walter Beaumont, Lafayette and Pear Sts.
James Christopher, Penn and Wood Sts.
John Manze, Wood street, next to Colonial Theatre.
Mrs. Polaski, Foundrytown.
George P. Hibbs, Washington street.
Frank Rossi, Cedar and Franklin streets.
Wm. Hassenplug, Bridgewater.
Roy Munday, Tullytown. 4-15-tf

BRISTOL MOTOR CO.

GARAGE
587 Bath St.

Complete line of Shoes, Tubes, Repair Kits, Tire Protectors, Greases, Oils, etc., in stock.

A special High Grade Cylinder Oil, for a short time, 5 gals. $2.

Second-hand Baby Buick, good condition all over, For Sale Cheap. Come look it over.

R. T. MYERS, Mgr.,
5-6-tf

## Learn a Trade.

Boys and Young Men Wanted, to learn useful trades: Machinists, Draughting, Iron, Steel and Brass Moulding, Die-Sinking, Pattern-Making, etc.

Applicants must be at least sixteen years old.

Apply in person or by letter to "Overseer of Apprentices, Bethlehem Steel Company, South Bethlehem, Penna." 4-15-5t

FOR STATE SENATOR
JACOB M. WINDER
OF BRISTOL BOROUGH.
Democratic Primaries June 4, 1910. 4-29-6t


## SPECIAL NOTICES

Advertisements under this head will be inserted for half a cent a word. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

WANTED—Young girl to take care of small child during daytime. Apply at 220 Radcliffe street.

WANTED—Reliable energetic man to sell lubricating oils, greases and paints in Bucks and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Stetson Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 5-6-2t

WANTED—Assistant at housework. Good home. Address Mrs. I. May, Cornwells, Pa.

WANTED—Rooms for a dental office. Address Gazette office. 5-6-2t

WANTED—Small roll-top desk. Apply 337 Lafayette street. 5-6-2t

WANTED—Furnished house on Radcliffe street for the months of July and August. Adult family of four. Rent not to exceed fifty dollars per month. Address H., Gazette office. 4-29-2t

WANTED—Two or three men boarders. 517 Bath street. 4-29-3t

BOARDERS WANTED—First-class table and all conveniences. Mrs. Alva Johnson, 323 Mill street.

FOR RENT—Furnished house from June 10th to September 10th. All conveniences. Apply to "D," Gazette office. 5-6-2t

FOR SALE—A double set of heavy carriage harness. Apply to W. J. Murphy, 706 Garden street, Bristol, Pa. Phone 42-Y. 5-6-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Second-hand Cedar Tank, capacity 3000 gallons. Driller Engineering Company, 119 South 11th street, Philadelphia. 4-29-3t

CATHOLIC CHILDREN TO BOARD. The Children's Aid Society will be glad to receive applications from Catholic families willing to board Catholic children from 1 to 12 years of age. For particulars address 1506 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa. 4-29-4t

FOR SALE—Horse, wagon and harness. Apply to John Rodgers No. 502 Jefferson avenue. 4-29-2t

LIFE INSURANCE—Wanted, a representative for this vicinity. Special inducements. Give experience. Address W. H. Sponge, North American Building, Philadelphia. 4-22-6t

GALVANIZED WIRE Poultry Netting, half-cent square foot, in roll lots 150 feet long. This wire is galvanized before and after weaving. Dilworth's Hardware Stores, 417 and 1004 Market St., Philadelphia. 4-22-13t

FOR RENT—Furnished room with board. First class table. Terms reasonable. Mrs. Hunford, 321 Jefferson avenue. 4-22-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping or storage, on Mill street. Apply to Mrs. E. D. Hay, 303 Penn street. 4-8-tf

FOR SALE—Cigar, candy and tobacco store for sale. Good business place, is well located and well established. Good reason for selling. Apply Pear and Lafayette streets. 4-1-tf

EGGS FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rocks and Wyandotte eggs from prize-winning stock at Bristol poultry show. $1.50 per sitting, $7 per 100. John A. McGinley, Bristol. 2-25-tf

FOR RENT—Old homestead apartments at Edgely, for three families. Two six-room and one five-room suites. Apply to F. I. Kraft, 125 Radcliffe street. 7-16-tf

INSURE in the North America! Been in business 100 years. Meet your losses promptly. When you buy you want the best. What do you know about the company you are now in? Costs no more in a live company, whose responsibility is beyond question. William E. Laing, 829 Radcliffe street, Bristol. 3-19-tf

FRANK PETTIT 805, 807, 809 Mister street, Phila., Pa., Manufacturer of Ornamental Iron, Iron fencing, Cemetery Enclosures, Chairs, Settees, Fire Escapes, etc. Bell Phone Kensington 4357 D. 4-19-1yr.

### Estate Notice.

Estate of SARAH J. WILLIAMS, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks Co., Pa., Dec'd.

LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having legal claims will present them without delay, in proper form for settlement to LEWIS C. GROVES, 328 Dorrance St., Bristol, Pa., or to his attorney, Executor. Vivian Frank Gable, Esq. 1313 S. 12th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 4-8-6t

### Estate Notice.

Estate of JOSEPH SWANN, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks County, Pa., deceased.

LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having legal claims will present them without delay, in proper form for settlement to THOMAS SCOTT, Executor, Bristol, Pa. John C. Stuckert, Attorney, Bristol, Pa. 4-8-6t

### Public Sale of Saw Mill, Cider Works and Other Valuable Real Estate.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans Court of the County of Bucks, will be sold at Public Sale upon the premises, on

**Thursday, May 19th, 1910**

the real estate belonging to the estate of John Bailey Cutler, deceased, situate in the village of Fallsington, Bucks county, Pa., adjoining lands of the estate of Mary Williamson, Charles Klockner, Harry Walker and others, and containing about five acres of land.

The improvements consist of a frame dwelling house, 20x38 feet, containing four rooms on the first floor, with out-kitchen, four rooms on second floor, attic above; porch in front of house, well and pump of excellent water in the out-kitchen, good cellar under main house. New barn, 36x24 feet, slate roof, with stabling for six horses. Frame cider house, 62x46 feet, with engine house attached, 18x25 feet, all under good felt roof. The cider works consists of press, grinder, tubs, cloths and racks, all complete, two engines and boilers, all in first-class condition.

Wagon shed 20x32 feet, tool house 12x16 feet, slate roof; chicken house 12x16 feet, slate roof; storage house, hog pen and all other necessary outbuildings. Also set of hay scales in the yard, and circular saw with carriage and engine.

Also at the same time and place will be sold a 4 1-2 foot circular saw, lot of old lumber and a two horse-power.

Sale will commence at 2 o'clock, p. m. Conditions made known at sale.

JOHN S. LEIGH,
Administrator of John Bailey Cutler, deceased.
EDWARD B. MINSTER, Auctioneer.
JOHN C. STUCKERT, Attorney. 4-29-3t

### Orphans Court Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans Court of the County of Bucks, for the sale of the real estate of ELLEN JOHNSON, late of Bensalem Township, Bucks County, deceased, for the payment of debts, will be sold at public sale on

**Saturday, May 14th, 1910,**

at 2 o'clock, p. m.,

on the premises, the following described real estate of said decedent:

All that certain messuage and lot of land situate in the Township of Bensalem aforesaid, beginning on the southeast side of the Frankford and Bristol turnpike road at a corner in the middle of the Philadelphia and Trenton railroad and extending thence by land of the Frankford and Bristol turnpike road northwest 27.04 perches to a corner, in the middle of said turnpike road, thence along the middle of said turnpike northeast 49 ft. 10 inches to a corner, thence by lot of C. S. Vandegrift, deceased, southeast 27.26 perches to a corner in the middle of said railroad, and thence along the middle of same southwest 49 ft. 2 inches to the place of beginning. Containing 80 perches of land, more or less.

The improvements consist of a 2 1-2 story frame dwelling house, with 2 rooms and an out kitchen on the first floor, 2 rooms on the second floor and a celled attic, good cellar underneath and well of excellent water at the door. Also woodshed and other necessary outbuildings. Fine fruit and shade trees.

This property is situate on the edge of the village of Eddington. It is in good repair, on the line of the trolley, convenient to churches, schools, railroad and stores. It is surrounded by a large lot of land and is one of the most desirable locations in the township for a comfortable and convenient home.

The sale will be positive to settle estate of decedent and presents a splendid opportunity for persons seeking a suitable home or a profitable investment.

Sale will commence promptly at 2 o'clock, p. m., on said day when conditions will be made known by

LEMUEL VANDEGRIFT,
Administrator of Ellen Johnson, dec'd.
Allen B. Eckert, Auctioneer.
Gilkeson & James, Attys. 4-22-4t


## Prospective June Brides

will do well by making plans and ordering the

Wedding Invitations

this week. Do not wait until the last week. They ought to be mailed about two weeks before the day of the event. If

Engraved Stationery or Cards

are desired for any purpose we can give splendid service. Special orders until the middle of May, unless we get too busy. Better write today.

The Girard Engraving Co.,
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Paints, Varnish, Enamels, Oils.

House, Marine and Barn, in a variety of colors and any size of package — at low prices.

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S. W. Cor. Mill & Cedar Sts.
Bristol, Pa.

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Dyspepsia Remedy.

A certain, safe and pleasant remedy for the cure of

All Forms of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Billiousness, Colic, Etc.

H. H. HEADLEY
PHARMACIST
Cor. of Wood and Washington Streets
Bristol, Pa. 4-10-tf

Farmers National Bank
OF BUCKS COUNTY,
BRISTOL, PA.

The Oldest Bank in Bucks County.

ESTABLISHED, A. D. 1815.

Capital, (as originally) .... $ 62,220.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits, (earned) 242,176.82

January 31st, 1910.

Has a well equipped and constantly increasing

Savings Department.

Boxes to rent at from $2.00 up to

Fire & Burglar Proof Safe Deposit Vaults

AFFORDING ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

This bank gives no customer an undue advantage over any other.

The smallest account receives the same care and attention as the largest, and is warmly welcomed.

It corresponds with an extensive network of other banks and large business houses, thereby gaining many advantages for its depositors.

It has served four generations of Bucks county people faithfully and well.

In time of trouble a balance in a strong bank is like an anchor to windward in a storm.


## FOR SALE.

THE Valuable Property

212-214 MILL STREET.

THE ONLY SITE FOR A NEW OPERA HOUSE FOR BRISTOL.

If sold the present owner will take $1000 worth of stock in an opera house company.

Address
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Bristol, Pa.


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Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and Itching of the private parts. Druggists, mail 50c and $1.00. WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio
FABIAN'S PHARMACY
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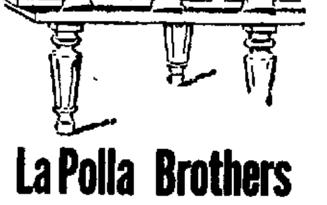


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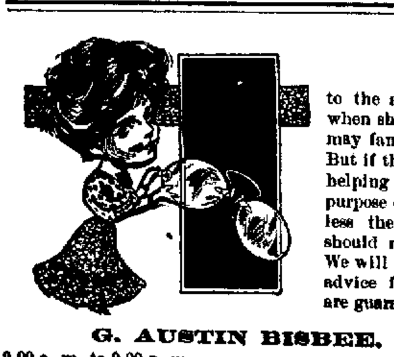

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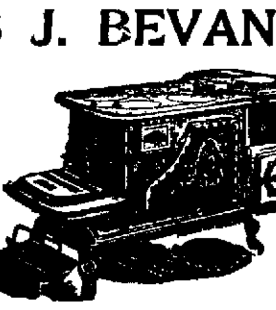

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